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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Mississippi Steamboat Sunk

MEMPHIS, Feb 14 The steamer *City of Q...* from New Orleans for St Louis sunk ... at ... Hardin's Point, ... miles below here. She had a cargo of about 450 tons of sugar which will prove a total loss as she lies in ten feet of water on the bar. About 8:30 she struck on an obstruction knocking a large hole in her hull and sunk in five minutes. No lives were lost. She was owned by the Southern Packet Company of St Louis and was partly insured in Cincinnati. It is doubtful whether she can be raised.

Discharge of Landis.

BRIDGETON Feb 14—Chas K Landis recently acquitted on the ground of insanity of the murder of Carruth the Vineland editor has been pronounced sane by Judge Reid after examination of witnesses and discharged from arrest.

A Triple Murderer Threatened with Lynching.

CLEVELAND, Feb 14—Adin the triple murderer whose trial was postponed one week on account of a technical error in the venire was with difficulty transferred from the jail to the court house and back on account of the crowd who followed. Expressions favoring lynching him were indulged in but he was safely locked up.

Money and Stocks.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14—Gold closed at 11¾@13¼; money, 3; governments active and strong; stocks active and unsettled; Western Union 76½; Quicksilver, 16; Pacific Mail, 35½; Mariposa 1½; Wells Fargo, 90¼; New York Central 104¾; Erie 17¼; Panama 129¼; U. P., 69½; co bonds, 105½; Central bonds, 107½.

Fire.

SAUGATUCK, Mich., Feb 14—The general store of Wells & Arnold, and several dwellings were burned this morning; loss $25,000.

Meeting of Creditors.

BOSTON Feb. 14—At a meeting of the creditors of Jordan, Clark & Co. to-day, the assets were stated to be $22,330, and liabilities $354 066.

Proceedings to Foreclose the Mortgage on N. P. R. R. Commenced

NEW YORK Feb. 14—It is stated that prominent capitalists of this city and Chicago have obtained a controlling interest in some bonds of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, and are about to commence foreclosure proceedings.

Dockray Arrived in New York.

Frederick Dockray, the American captured in Cuba, and who recently escaped from the Spanish prison, arrived in this city in the steamship *Alps*.

Interesting to Shippers by Express.

NEW YORK, Feb 14—In an Adams Express suit to-day, U S Circuit Judge Wallace ruled that the express company's receipts and printed conditions constitute binding contracts, and that where the shipper fails to state the value of his package he can only recover the fifty dollars limit of liability stated in the receipt.

Off for the Black Hills.

CHEYENNE, Feb 14—One hundred and fifty men left here to-day for the Black Hills. A party who came in last night reports that during the eight days of his trip from Custer, he counted 185 wagons en route for the hills. Two hundred more are out fitting here now and will start this week. The incoming trains bring scores of gold seekers daily.

Aid to the N. P. R. R. from Montana.

NEW YORK, Feb 14—Both branches of the Montana legislature have passed a bill giving three and a half million dollars aid to the construction of the Northern Pacific Railroad from Bismarck westward.

Corner in Coffee Continuing.

The big corner in the American coffee market is still pending, but barely sustained. Prices are tending downward and no heavy sales are possible except at a reduction from the present prices.

Beecher's Boldness.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13—The scene in Beecher's church last night is a general topic of interest. Beecher's courage and boldness and determination challenge respect and increases confidence in his (as ...) among thoughtful men. Referring to the coming advisory council, he said—You that receive the tidings into your household ought to set up within your hearts a sentinel of honor. They come for ... upon this council to hear impartially and give such advice as the Lord may inspire in them upon the facts that shall be presented you. Must not ... in your households to bias them by ... in the slightest degree, or beguile ... the fullest discharge of their duty. Even ... "it should be adverse to your con... the same, nevertheless it is very plainly a ... of Christian honor that these men should ... families without being in the slightest ... by social influence." It equally ... urged his people not to attempt to ... council meetings by tokens of ap...

... case came up he referred to it ... sorrow, in view of their long time ro... fidelity, when referring to Bowen's in... "If for more than the last ten ... been in possession of such facts ... in his letter, he never mentioned ... to any officer of this church nor ... them to the knowledge of the ... and he deserved to be expelled from the church for a violation of his covenant [Great applause]. If I am what he alleges I have been and he knew it and permitted it without a warning to me or the church, he committed a crime ... this church and against morality; and if it ... any allegation is a lie—a lie before God ... [Great applause] He was guilty. I will not say of a more heinous crime, but of an ... fellow to it, and both of them are ... I pronounce the allegations absolutely false. Further, Bowen was demanded of by his brethren to state what those facts were and what was the evidence of them in his possession and ... he was put on trial and that he had ... But he had time to write this letter ... the public with being such a criminal, that those epithets hardly compass my iniquity, and having had time to get me up as a monster and publish it in the newspapers, he is asked, "What is your evidence?" and he has not ... Ought not that to have been thought of before he published it? I have still another word to say—that it is to the tribunal which he ... He favors a tripartite body that he may hide names and then have their word given out. In the adjudication of this case no ... shall rest on this matter. [Applause] I ... There shall not be a secret of this matter that is not exposed to the bottom. It shall be no ... my will is set aside. I don't propose that he shall hide himself, nor will I permit anything to be ... about me by having it referred to three ... with the understanding that they shall keep the ... before them secret, and only let out what they chose, what they think won't satisfy me. Since the matter has been published and his name attached to it, he has got to face these things and produce his evidence. For myself I have only this to say—I pronounce all the insinuations and allegations that he has made as false and with Almighty God before me and looking to the ... day, arraign him a slanderer and a liar.

Beecher sat down overpowered and the great ... became wild as its waves and cheers and shouts of applause reverberated through the room, yielding only to break anew again and again ... every effort to repress them by cries of "Order, order."

The Babcock Trial.

ST. LOUIS, Feb 14—Judge Porter in concluding his argument against the admission of telegrams in the Babcock trial, occupied nearly all the morning session to-day. His conclusions were that they were writings, and whether proven to be what they purported in origin and destination it was still a question whether they could be admitted as evidence. He did not by any means admit the proof and identification had been shown. To the great majority of these telegrams there were printed no ... at All. Such were merely hearsay merely ... relating to facts admitting inquiries which did not convey the slightest hint of conspiracy ... none of these whatever might be shown of ... or whatever construction might be put on ... were admissible as testimony till by the intrinsic evidence, it had been established that Babcock had known of the existence of the conspiracy. This must first be proven and it had not yet been proven.

CLEARING HOUSE—The organization of a clearing house was completed at an adjourned meeting of bankers and others, held yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. The committee appointed to canvass the banks for signatures to the roll of membership, reported the following names: First National Gold Bank, Anglo-Californian Bank, Bank of California, Bank of San Francisco, Merchants Exchange Bank, Bank of British Columbia, Bank of British North America, London and San Francisco Bank, Freres, B Davidson & Co, Dorol ... Kelly & Co., Swiss American, Hickox & Spear ... & Co, Wells Fargo & Co ... Hibernia ... had positively refused to join the Association, and the Pacific Bank and Tallant & Co had taken the matter under advisement. After receiving the report the meeting proceeded to the election of officers of the clearing house with the following result: President, Milton S Latham, of the London and San Francisco bank; Secretary, Ignatz Steinhart of the Anglo California; clearing house committee—The President, D O Mills, of the bank of California; F. F. Low, of the Anglo California, A. McKinley of the bank of British North America and Homer King of Wells, Fargo & Co. The clearing house committee was also authorized to set the organization in immediate operation.—*S. F. Bulletin*.

WASHINGTON CITY

Statement of Cash in the Treasury

WASHINGTON, Feb 11—The Secretary of the Treasury sent to the House of Representatives in response to a resolution of January ... a detailed statement showing the amount of cash on hand ... the treasury ... and the mints ... the total amount ... The Secretary says that as legal tender notes received for the redemption of national bank notes ... belong to the United States, their amounts is not ... many way entered in the ... monthly debt statement of the department. The amount of ... per cent bonds ... redemption ... interest ... The silver purchases by the Treasury Department has been paid for with the proceeds of the ... per cent bonds sold and ... balance of the proceeds of said bonds together with the ... of the ... been ... applied to the retirement of legal tenders as provided by the specie resumption act.

Land Patent Issued

A patent was to-day issued from the land office for ... Cordilleras and Juan Castro, executors of ... It contains ... acres of land in Santa Cruz county, California. The date of the patent is Jan ... 18...

Purchases of Silver Bullion.

The communication from the Secretary of the Treasury sent to the House to-day shows that from the passage of the act for the resumption of specie payments namely January 14, 1875 to December 1875 the amount of silver bullion purchased was 8,173,023 ounces at a cost of $9,390,146 in gold. The highest price paid per ounce was on March 11th one dollar thirteen cents and eight mills and the lowest, July 14th one dollar seven cents and one mill. The average price was nearly one dollar, eight cents and three mills per ounce.

N. P. R. R.—Extension of Time.

WASHINGTON, Feb 11—Section four of the bill granting eight years' extension of time for the completion of the Northern Pacific Railroad is as follows: That the extension of time granted by section one of this act shall not apply to the branch line of said road from Lake Pend Oreille across the Cascade mountains to Puget Sound in Washington Territory, and at the expiration of the time allowed by the existing laws for the construction of said branch line as heretofore, the lands granted there for and not then earned by said company by the construction of said branch line of road shall be restored to the public domain to be dealt with as other public lands under the direction of the secretary of the Interior.

Action of the Democratic Caucus.

WASHINGTON Feb 10—At the Democratic caucus to night at the Capitol about 100 members of the House and 12 or 15 Senators were present. Many short speeches were made on the financial question. Finally resolutions were adopted for the appointment of a committee consisting of nine members of the House and four senators to whom were referred the pending proposition of Representative Landers for the repeal of the specie resumption act and that of Representative Payne for the gradual resumption of specie payment and the committee were instructed to report a financial platform at an adjourned meeting of the caucus on Thursday next. More than usual care was taken to prevent a disclosure of the proceedings but it is known that the majority who spoke counselled conciliation and harmony, it being absolutely necessary that the Democracy should present if possible an unbroken front on the financial question, and frame a platform which they could present to the entire country instead of members of the party in different States separately attempting to establish a financial principle for the entire party.

Democrats Confident of being Able to Fix the Finances.

The Democratic members in conversation to day, say they don't think there will be much difficulty in framing a financial plank, as a conciliatory spirit pervaded the caucus last night. The opinion was generally expressed that it would be impracticable to resume specie payments on the 1st of Jan., 1879, as provided by the act of Jan 19th 1875 therefore that that provision should be repealed and measures be taken for a gradual resumption of specie payments by requiring the national banks to retain a percentage of the gold received by them as interest on the bonds deposited with the Treasurer of the United States as security for their circulating notes and also requiring the Secretary to retain a certain percentage of gold as part of the sinking fund for the purchase or payment of the public debt. This the Democrats say will be the basis of action of the committee in their report to the adjourned meeting of the caucus on Thursday next.

Final Adjournment of Congress.

The Democrats in their caucus discussed at some length the time of final adjournment. Since then several leading Democrats have conferred upon the subject, and have decided to introduce a resolution fixing the time of final adjournment between April 1st and April 15th. This move contemplates the passage of the appropriation bills and a finance bill as the only legislation. Randall says the appropriation bills can all be passed by April 15th. The Democrats feels the bad political effects of Congress and desire to prevent debate on national issues.

Durrell's Successor to hold Court next Monday.

Judge Billings just confirmed by the Senate will hold court in New Orleans on the third Monday in February. No business has been transacted in the district court for Louisiana since the resignation of Judge Durrell.

Taxation of Railroad Lands.

WASHINGTON Feb 11—The House bill for the taxation of railroad lands provides that if the company refuses to pay the costs of surveying they may be paid by any purchasers at a tax sale and constitute a lien on the patent which shall there upon be issued to the company.

The House committee on public lands have substantially agreed to report a bill making the land granted to the Pacific railroad companies liable to local taxation as soon as earned by said companies but it is not likely to seek that ... through compelling the railroad companies to receive patents on pain of forfeiture.

Honors to the Dead.

The flag on the department of justice building is at half mast to day in respect to the memory of the late Reverdy Johnson.

The Shipping Bill to be Reported.

The committee on commerce to day agreed to report to the House a bill to amend the Revised Statutes regarding commerce and navigation and the regulation of steam vessels by which among other things all sail vessels will be required to be furnished with proper signal lights and during the night time to show a lighted torch upon that point or quarter from which any steamer shall be approaching. The penalty for non compliance with these provisions will be $200. No steamer carrying passengers shall depart from any port unless she shall have in her service a full complement of licensed officers and crew sufficient at all times to manage the vessel including a proper number of watchmen except on ferryboats. No loose hay, loose cotton or hemp camphene nitro-glycerine naptha benzine crude petroleum or other like explosive burning fluids shall be carried as freight on any steamer carrying passengers. Whenever damage is sustained by any passenger or his baggage from explosion fire, collision or other cause the master or owner of such vessel or either of them and the vessel shall be liable to each and every person so injured to the full amount of damage if it happens through any neglect or failure to comply with the provisions of this title ... known defects or imperfections of steaming apparatus or of the hull.

The President and Senator Bruce.

The report prevalent to day that the President has sent for Senator Bruce of Mississippi (colored) who denounced him in the Senate in executive session yesterday is untrue. The President aside from other considerations is not supposed to know anything of the debates of such sessions which are regarded as confidential though the Senator himself to day on being interrogated admitted he made the attack, and said he would repeat his remarks in open session. Bruce has seen the President only once since the 9th of December and then ... routine business.

Meeting of the Veterans' National Committee Called.

The Veterans national committee ... the soldiers' and sailors national convention held at Pittsburg ... has been called to meet in this city ... to consider the ... to be taken by the Union Veterans in the coming Presidential campaign.

Letter from Mr Morrison to Mr Hamilton

The chairman of the committee on ways and means has addressed the following note to the clerk of the committee:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, ... WASHINGTON, ... Feb ... 1876 ...

... Respectfully yours, W. R. MORRISON, Chairman Committee of Ways and Means.

Memorials Presented

WASHINGTON, Feb 11—Luttrell to-day presented the memorial of the ... of San Francisco ... president of the Mechanics' ... asking Congress to grant the marine hospital to said society for its purposes.

Senator Booth presented a petition from A H Clark and 140 other citizens of Ventura county praying for a resurvey of the ... de la Clara.

The Lomas De Santiago Land Patent Case

WASHINGTON Feb 11—The Secretary of the Interior has addressed the Attorney General in response to a letter from that officer, re ... for the reconsideration of the Interior Department ... bill in equity prepared by the Department of Justice with a view of vacating the patent issued for the Santiago property to claim Lomas De Santiago, with a request for an opinion from the Secretary of the Interior as to the propriety of filing this bill or any other.

I have ... the subject my careful consideration and have been aided by a very full argument submitted by the attorneys for the defendants to the bill of complaint. The case presented by the bill shows that the award of the board of land commissioners and the decree of the district court confirming the grant were procured by fraud and forgery, and that the grant itself is wholly void. It also shows that the present owners of the rancho bought with knowledge of the fraud and are not entitled to consideration as *bona fide* purchasers whose confirmation of the Mexican grants clearly appear to have been obtained through forgery or frauds upon the courts to the wrong of the general government. I shall be disposed to advise the institution of appropriate action on the part of the United States for the recovery of the lands ... provided they remain in the hands of the perpetrators of the fraud or have been conveyed to others with full knowledge of the wrong. I am not disposed in any case to recommend that the possession or title of *bona fide* purchasers should be disturbed. Assuming the facts to be as stated in the bill of complaint I have the honor to advise that suits be brought in such form as you shall seem best adapted to secure the just rights of the United States.

Indian War and Outrages.

Information has been received that Bear Wolf a Crow chief had been at Fort Pease at the mouth of the Big Horn and that he had a battle with the Sioux, killing 6 and that 40 or 50 Sioux are around Fort Pease killing inhabitants at every opportunity five persons having already been wounded.

The Appropriation for the San Francisco Mint to be Reduced

WASHINGTON Feb 12—The Democratic majority of the House appropriation committee manifest an intention to cut down the usual appropriations for the San Francisco mint so as to confine its operations exclusively to the manipulation of bullion for coinage and no longer to provide for assaying and the manufacture of bars for commercial use. Necessarily they understand that any Government money expended for the latter purpose is repaid by exporters but they want the nominal total of the appropriation reduced for political effect. Piper remonstrated with them and to day sought Director Linderman's co-operation but Linderman is out of town.

Bill for the Relief of Settlers.

Wigginton will shortly introduce a bill for the relief of settlers on the unfinished portions of the line between Gershen and Hollister. It will require the company to complete their railroad within the time fixed by the original act or forfeit their lands and forbids the issue of any more patents to the company until the whole gap is closed.

Postal Investigation

The House postoffice investigation developes the fact that postal service between Missoula, Montana and Walla Walla was continued after Postmaster Moore at the latter place showed it cost $1 000 per transfer for six months. Also that the postal agent reporting the facts had his pay reduced and Moore was removed. Some bad swearing of the witness special agent Harbeck, drew out the admission that among those who had aided Peterson in his contract system were Senator West and Secretary Belknap. Peterson will be remembered as the beneficiary in the straw bidding system in the Southern postal route contract.

Commodore Shufeldt was before the House naval committee. He opposes the proposed organization of the admiralty, and says the present exchange system gives the paymasters great opportunities for misappropriating funds. Also that great frauds are committed under the present system of advertising for bids and purchases. He favors the re establishment of school ships and the preparation of 500 American boys to replace an equal number of foreigners and thus Americanize the navy.

The Reports from Mexico Exaggerated.

NEW ORLEANS Feb 13—Col E A Lever who recently arrived from Mexico says the reports of the revolution of Porforio Diaz have been greatly exaggerated. He states that the local disturbances were caused by revolutionists.

Large Demand for Postage Stamps.

WASHINGTON, Feb 12—During January the demand for postage stamps postal cards and stamped envelopes, reached the unprecedented amount of three and a half million dollars worth. These figures are considered indicative of the rapid revival of business throughout the country.

Texas Border Outrages.

Gen Ord, commanding the military department of Texas was examined to-day by the select committee of the House on the Texan frontier troubles and gave a very full and intelligent account of the cattle raids to which the rancheros on the American side of the Rio Grande for 500 miles along the river and for 150 miles back are subjected to. The country which is the scene of these forays is separated from the river by an extensive belt of undergrowth of forest which forms a shelter for the cattle thieves and raiders. It is next to impossible for the military patrols and posts to interfere with them. There are two classes of Mexicans on the Texas side—one are intelligent honest rancheros who are as much opposed to these raids as the American portion of the population, and the other consisting of worthless fellows mostly outlaws or deserters from the Mexican army, who generally act as spies for these companies when they cross the river on their cattle stealing expeditions. On their own side of the river these bands which sometimes number from 100 to 150 men are in league with the local authorities which they recognized chief being Cortina, so that all facilities are given them for disposing of their plunder. The National Government of Mexico is not to be blamed in general. General Ord says the cause of this state of things is because the system of the Mexican Government is to let each State take care of its own affairs. The only remedy is that which the General is urging on the War Department viz to increase the cavalry force on the Rio Grande and give him authority when his troops come on the trail of these thieving bands to let pursuit be continued to the Mexican side of the river and let the troops deal out punishment. He states that he has been in one or more northern States himself and the Mexican commandants have an arrangement by which such expeditions are followed on either side of the river and on some occasions American and Mexican troops have co operated.

Texas Pacific Railway Bill.

The committee on Pacific railroads was in session nearly the entire day on the Texas Pacific railroad bill. The report of the sub committee signed by Lamar, Atkins and O Neil favoring the bill was read.

Luttrell advocated the construction of a road by any company which would build it without subsidy. Garfield also dissented from the report opposing all subsidies.

WASHINGTON Feb 12—Luttrell in his dissenting opinion also said he was in favor of reserving the right of Congress to prevent discrimination by combination and to regulate fares and freight charges.

CHICAGO Feb 11—The *Tribune's* Washington special says the House committee on the Pacific railroads now stands six to six on the Tom Scott Texas and Pacific bill with one doubtful. The committee is thus divided for the bill: Lamar, Atkins, Walker, Throckmorton, Phillips, O Neill, one Republican and five Democrats. Against the bill: Luttrell, Lynde, Goral ..., Mason, Platt, Blair of New Hampshire, four Republicans and two Democrats, doubtful, Thomas of Maryland. It is expected that the latter will vote with the majority of the Democrats for the bill.

Investigation of Expenditures in the Department of Justice.

The committee on expenditures in the department of justice made investigation into judicial over charges in the western district of Texas which revealed the practice of marshals and other officials out there charging mileage and per diem fees of supposed deputies and guards on cases of imaginary arrests.

The Affairs of the Freedman's Bank.

The committee on the Freedman's Bank had before it the Secretary of the Seneca Sand Stone Co who described the means by which the Freedman's Bank for a debt of some $... now amounting with interest to about $... was induced to take as collateral security the second mortgage bonds of the company for $... which are of no market value whatever. He also produced the stock book of the Seneca Sand Stone Co which showed that in one day certificates of stock for ... shares each were issued to U S Grant, ... Ben Butler, W. H. Seward, ... Washburn, Caleb Cushing, ... French. Witness did not know anything as to the payment for this stock. ... were ... Huntington, then cashier of the First National Bank.

More Whisky Frauds

NEW YORK, Feb 12—A *Times* Washington special says a private dispatch received from New Orleans all together are good reasons for believing that the grand jury has found indictments against Hale, Syphar and James ... in connection with the whisky ring.

Postal Changes

WASHINGTON, Feb 11—Postal changes for the week on the Pacific coast are as follows: Offices established—Woodville, Jackson county, Oregon ... Wood ... postmaster appointed ... Callender, Kamipton ..., Lane county, W. T.

Pinchback Defends His Character

Pinchback in reply to the letter his replied to ... upon ... the character ... by Senator Merrimon. He deplores the ... that the colored men do not desire ... perpetuation. They rather ... that their ... south and will ... pretty ... from proscription and persecution.

Tobacco Exportation

WASHINGTON, Feb 11—The following report of the exportation of tobacco and snuff during the month ending December 31st 1875 has been issued by the Internal revenue office. The quantity removed from manufactories for exportation is tobacco 4,362,903½ pounds, snuff 1,200½ pounds. The quantity accounted for landed abroad tobacco 3,705,151 pounds, snuff, 150,811½ pounds.

Nominations

WASHINGTON, Feb 11—The President sent the following nominations to the Senate to-day: Register of the land office Chas A Roberts of California, Humboldt, California; W R Welles of Oregon, ... Oregon; Chas Hudson of New York to ... for M ... agency.

Judge David Davis as Presidential Candidate

David Davis of Illinois justice of the supreme court is beginning to be talked about as a Democratic candidate. Several prominent Democrats in Congress have arranged a combination to have his name before the convention. They rely on his hard money views and his political view as expressed in the Milliken decision.

Kelley to Reply to Blaine on Finance.

Judge Kelley will reply to Blaine on finance on Saturday. He proposes to show that the Republicans are not united on finance.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Prussian Penal Code

BERLIN, Feb 11—The Reichstag has passed a bill amending the penal code including the so called pulpit clause which forbids the reading of objectionable communications within a church or the posting of the same on the doors. Prince Bismarck in the name of the Federal Council thanked the house for their labors and read an Imperial message closing the session.

Prussian General Dead.

Gen Edward Von Peucker of the Prussian army is dead.

Bank of Germany.

BERLIN, Feb 11—The specie in the Imperial bank of Germany has increased 3,269,000 marks during the past week.

Count Von Arnim's Return to See his Sick Son.

BERLIN, Feb 11—Yesterday Count Von Arnim petitioned the Emperor for permission to go to Berlin without being liable to arrest in order to be with his sick son.

National Combination Against China.

BERLIN, Feb 13—The *Reichsanzeiger* states that the governments of the United States, England and Russia have promised to support any steps the German envoy to China may be authorized to take in connection with the case of the German schooner Anna which was plundered off Foo Chow last September. It is hoped from this action satisfaction may be obtained and that the Chinese government in its own interest will be convinced of the necessity of taking measures to prevent similar occurrences in the future.

Marine Insurance Bill.

LONDON, Feb 11—Sir Stafford Northcote's bill provides for an implied warranty against the shipowners in favor of the cargo and passengers equally and prohibits any evasion of the warranty by special contracts which are declared void. The second important modification relates to the values of policies and provides for a proceeding before referees upon the court's decision whether the defendants apply therefor or not to ascertain what would be the value of the interest of insurers if policy were open. If the valuation unreasonably exceeds the real value of the subject matter the valuation ascertained alone is recoverable. The third modification is that owners are allowed to recover only the net freight. The proportion of expense which would have been incurred in granting total freight to be ascertained and deducted as the court declares. In any action a contract the fourth modification provides if the owner insures a ship such insurance including what is known as outfit as furniture, etc and also insures freight reckoning any of the charges included in the insurance of the ship the latter will be deemed a double insurance *pro tanto*. The following is the fifth modification. The shipowner can not recover on a time policy if the loss is occasioned by unseaworthiness, provided the unseaworthiness existed when the vessel was last in port or could have been prevented by reasonable care. For the purpose of this section, unseaworthiness from defective hull or from over lading, shall alone be deemed unseaworthiness.

Scotish Rifle Club.

LONDON Feb 11—The Scottish Rifle Club has finally decided to send its own team to the International contest at Philadelphia next summer.

English Grain Markets.

LONDON, Feb 11—The frost has checked the downward movement of prices in Mark Lane. Trade has become rather less desponding which quiet but firm. Some of the markets in the eastern counties have recovered a shilling per quarter. Oats, barley beans peas and flour have been dull and are unchanged in price. Maize commanded a low rate but in Scotland values tended towards a recovery. The imports of wheat and flour into the United Kingdom last week were 225 000 quarters. There is a full supply of English wheat. The deliveries were 415,319 quarters—rather under the average. To-day at Mark Lane, the market was deserted, the dense fog and extreme cold driving factors into the subscription room where sale by sample is not permitted, but cargo buyers offered rather more for wheat and sixpence higher per quarter for maize. Oats firm at about 3d advance from Monday's demand steady. Flour, quiet. The port of Odessa is again ice bound.

£20,000 Collected for the Bremerhaven Sufferers.

LONDON Feb 12—The *Post's* Bremen dispatch reports that the committee of relief collected £20,000 for the victims of the Bremerhaven disaster.

Bullion in Bank of England.

LONDON Feb 14—The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England, on balance to day, £50-000.

The Harvest Queen Case.

LONDON Feb. 12—The *Shipping Gazette's* synopsis of the inquiry in the *Harvest Queen* disaster says the court while deciding it was the *Queen* which was sunk held that the captain of the *Adriatic* clearly was not to blame for the collision and was only censurable for unfrankness in failing to report the facts.

Japanese Minister Degraded.

SHANGHAI Feb 11—The Peking *Gazette* publishes an imperial edict degrading Gen ... Lee See Tai and ordering him to proceed to Yunnan Foo and there stand a trial for complicity in the murder of Margary.

Winslow not in Rotterdam.

LONDON, Feb 11—A dispatch from Rotterdam contains the following: To the inquiries made here as to the whereabouts of E. D. Winslow the Boston forger the American consul replies that Winslow is not here and the judicial officer at Rotterdam can give no information in the present state of the matter.

The Permanent Adviser to the Khedive

The *Daily Telegraph* has a report from Egyptian sources worthy of credit that the Cadi's departure is postponed and that when he leaves Cairo he will be succeeded by an Englishman who will hold the post of permanent adviser to the Khedive.

Jabin Colliery Still Burning.

ST ETIENNE Belgium Feb 11—Flames continue to burn fiercely in the Jabin colliery. No more bodies can be recovered.

Riotous Proceedings at Catholic Demonstration.

BRUSSELS, Feb 14—The Catholic demonstrational Molinez yesterday resulted in riotous disturbances. Several people were severely injured and the police were obliged to intervene.

Differences between Venezuela and Holland to be Arbitrated.

THE HAGUE Feb 14—Venezuela has demanded that the differences with Holland be submitted to arbitrament with one of the great European powers.

Business Failures.

PALERMO Feb 13—The failure of the Trinacria has created much excitement. Several lesser failures are announced. The Government holds a first mortgage of $103 000 on the steamers for the subsidies recently granted and will probably press its claims. The Florio Steamship Company has made a preliminary offer of $40 000 for the Trinacria company's business.

Death of Sir B. W. Walker.

LONDON Feb 11—Sir Baldwin W. Walker formerly surveyor general of the British navy is dead.

Markets

In Mincing lane market buyers still show great want of confidence but prices with few exceptions have not suffered. Sugar is very flat. It is reported that there is a deficiency in Cuba on account of drought but it has no influence here. Coffee is firm. Ceylon descriptions are rather dearer but others are weaker. Most changes in price have had an upward tendency. American securities generally steady. There is less demand for money in the open market but rates are generally maintained. There has been no bullion movement at the bank.

Coffee Market.

RIO JANEIRO Feb 1—The coffee market is animated. There have been large sales for the United States of good firsts at 7 ... @ ... reis per 10 kilograms.

Active Search for Winslow.

LONDON, Feb 11—The chief police commissioner at Rotterdam states that an active search is being made there and elsewhere on the Continent for Winslow the Boston forger.

Durham University Declines to Join the Centennial Regatta

LONDON, Feb 14—The *Daily News* is informed that Durham University has declined to send a crew to Philadelphia to take part in the Centennial international regatta.

Loss of the Deutschland to be Inquired Into

The *Post's* Berlin dispatch says the Bremen court will bring inquiry into the loss of the steamer *Deutschland*. The public prosecutor will conduct proceedings for the government.

Pastoral Letter.

The Bishop of Breslau has issued his annual Lental pastoral. He exhorts his flock to firmness in their allegiance to the Church. The pastoral is addressed to dioceses in both Austria and Prussia notwithstanding his deposition by the Prussian courts.

The European Powers trying to Obtain a Suspension of Hostilities.

LONDON, Feb 11—The Russian Telegraph Agency has a report that the European powers are endeavoring to obtain a suspension of hostilities to which end negotiations are pending in Herzegovina.

Ministerial Crisis at Vienna Continues.

The Berlin correspondent of the London *Times* telegraphs that the ministerial crisis at Vienna is unended.

Turkey Granting Reforms.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb 11—The Sultan yesterday signed a decree granting Andrassy's reforms in the insurgent provinces. Ambassadors of six powers were notified and the Ottoman representatives abroad were telegraphed that the question of expenditure in Bosnia and Herzegovina and of direct taxes will be referred to a mixed commission. Namyke Pacha formerly Minister of War has been appointed President of the Council of Ministers replacing Server Pacha who is appointed Minister of Public Works.

Turkish Amnesty.

The Sultan has agreed to grant amnesty to the insurgents submitting immediately. Austria will thereupon withdraw the subvention granted Turkish refugees and order them to return home.

Herzegovinians Decline to Return Home.

RAGUSA Feb 12—Advices from Sclavonic sources represent Herzegovinian refugees in Austrian soil decline the invitation of Montkar Pasha to return home.

The Insurgents not Satisfied with Andrassy's Note.

The insurgents refuse to be satisfied with Count Andrassy's proposed reforms, and are resolved not to submit to Turkish rule.

Triumph of the War Party in Servia.

LONDON, Feb 13—A special to the *Standard* from Vienna says letters from Belgrade announce the triumph of the war party in Servia. The appointment of Ristich to the premiership is almost certain. It is reported that shortly before the close of the session the skupschina sitting with closed doors resolved upon war in the spring and appointed a committee to watch over the government to raise taxes in advance and to issue paper money on the outbreak of the war.

Appointment of Voisin.

The *Times* Paris telegram says the appointment of M Voisin as prefect of police would be unexceptionable if it had been made under different circumstances. He belonged to the liberal right center.

Legal Proceedings against the French Press.

PARIS Feb 11—The Government has begun legal proceedings against the *République Française* Gambetta's organ for an article on Sunday, violently attacking Buffet Vice President of the Council and Minister of the Interior.

The Prince Imperial Opposes Prince Napoleon

PARIS Feb 11—The Prince Imperial has written a letter opposing and disavowing Prince Napoleon as a candidate for the Chamber of Deputies from Corsica.

French Newspaper Fined.

La France (newspaper) has been fined 1,000 francs for publishing false news.

It is reported that Buffet had resigned and had declared he would only accept the governorship of the Bank of France as compensation.

Bonapartist Journal Seized.

PARIS Feb 13—*L'Aigle* a Bonapartist journal published at Ajaccio, was seized and prosecuted for attacking the Government and publishing a proclamation that was issued by Napoleon from Wilhelmshohe in 1871.

De Carne Dead.

Louis Marcien, Compte de Carne the eminent publicist and member of the French Academy, is dead.

Address to the Electors of Ajaccio from Prince Napoleon.

PARIS Feb 13—Prince Napoleon has issued an address to the electors of Ajaccio. He says: "The form of government is not in question; it exists. I accept it frankly." He denies that his acceptance of the republic is dictated by ambition or personal interest but declares it comes from profound conviction. He concludes as follows: "I respect the form of Government without any bitterness provided it assures order, justice and liberty. If elected, I shall be always Democratic and a partisan of progress."

Buffet to Oppose Thiers.

PARIS Feb 13—It is the intention of the conservative committee to run Buffet in opposition to ex President Thiers as a candidate for Deputy in the ninth arondissement in Paris.

Distinguished Physician Dead.

PARIS Feb 14—Gabriel Andral, the distinguished physician, is dead.

Italian Papers Seized.

ROME Feb 11—The *Bersagliere Liberta, Voccia La Verita* and *Comitale* newspapers were seized for publishing a speech made by Garibaldi on the anniversary of the Roman republic, in which the republic was extolled as the only honest form of government.

Gen. Burriel not Gone to Madrid to be Tried.

MADRID Feb 11—The *Cronista* asserts that Gen Burriel has come to Madrid on account of his health and not in connection with the *Virginius* affair.

Bombardment of Estella.

MADRID Feb 11—It is officially announced that the Alfonsists fired shell into Estella. The *Cronista* says General Primo Derivera has given notice to noncombatants to withdraw before a specified date when the bombardment of Estella will be opened.

Appartments for the Duke of Montpensier.

Appartments are being prepared in the royal palace here for the Duke of Montpensier.

Alfonso Joins the Army.

MADRID, Feb 11—King Alfonso leaves Madrid for the army next Wednesday.

Arms for Cuba.

The government has purchased 6 Krupp guns and 6 000 rounds of ammunition to be sent to Cuba.

The Alfonsists and Carlists.

BILBOA Feb 14—The Alfonsist General Quesada has advanced to Elgueta establishing communication with General Moldano, and both are pushing the Carlists. In the attempt to force the fight the Carlists outnumbered and outmaneuvered them at all points, and have fallen back on the mountain fastnesses of Guipuzcoa.

Meeting of Spanish Ministerial Deputies.

MADRID, Feb 14—A caucus of newly elected ministerial deputies occurred to day. Two hundred and seven members were present. Carovas Del Castelo president of the council of ministers expressed his gratification at being surrounded by the representatives of the Spanish people. It was a guarantee of the re establishment of constitutional monarchy he believed, and therefore it was to work for a restoration of the prosperity of the country which had greatly suffered the last few days, and re establish Spanish credit.

Pirates to be Punished.

MADRID Feb 14—Gen Melcalpos the captain general of the Phillipine Islands left Manila on the 3d of February with 8 000 men to punish Sooloo pirates.

Carlist War.

LONDON Feb 13—A *Times* dispatch from St. Jean De Luz reports the main body of Carlists under Generals Caserta and Perula in Almado and Barralta.

OREGON

Two men near Brownsville came to blows recently while arguing a question on church discipline.

There is some talk of organizing a company at Jacksonville to start for the Black Hills country in the summer.

Nearly all the mining claims in Jackson county heretofore worked by Chinese, have been jumped by the whites.

Owing to the deep snows no mails have reached Waldo, Josephine county, from Happy Camp (Cal) for some time.

A widower with six children married a widow with an equal number in Linn county a few days ago. Twelve responsibilities for a starter is very good.

The Jacksonville *Times* says: T. G. Reames this week showed us a piece of cinnabar ore from the ledge of the Strong brothers on Little Applegate, which is among the richest specimens we have yet seen. They have erected a furnace for the reduction of ore which is ready for use as soon as the weather will permit of operations. It is of brick and has a capacity of retorting fourteen tons daily. The ledge is ninety feet wide and should the furnace prove a success, the owners have a big thing in sight.

The Baker City *Democrat* is informed by Mr S. B. McCord who has just returned from Connor Creek that the future prospects of that camp are looking up. Sleeper & Co have added some new machinery to their quartz mill and it was intended to start up this next week. White & Co are now running their water quartz mill with five stamps and will start their steam quartz mill with ten stamps in a few days. From all the information Mr McCord could obtain and observe the White company ledge was in fine condition and prospects well in rich rock. He informs us that the miners there are in good spirits, and expect a prosperous coming season.

Denver, Colorado, is to have a line of street cars.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

[BY STEAMER.]

Destructive Fire in New York

NEW YORK, Feb 8—A fire broke out this evening, at 125 Grand street which proved the most destructive for years. The fire burnt through the entire block bounded by Grand Howard Broadway and Crosby streets altogether about thirty buildings. The total loss is estimated at $1 500 000. One firm Cashin, Brundcroft & Co lace dealers estimate their loss at $1,500,000. Five buildings on Broadway were saved and all on Grand street except No 125, where the fire broke out. Two firemen David Clute foreman and John H Bush assistant were killed, and several others were injured by falling walls. At one time it was feared the heart of the city would be burned. The fire was completely under control by half past 10 o clock.

The following is as correct a list of the buildings destroyed and losses caused as could be obtained to night: Nos 444 and 447 Broadway belonging to Lasher Whiteman loss on stock about $250,000. The second floor was occupied by Hulcher Wattrons & Boynton fancy goods loss on stock $15 000. Third floor—Wm Smith & Co gents furnishing goods, loss $200 000. Fourth floor—Seidenbeck & Swab loss, $50 000. Fifth floor—Peake Kramer & Co loss $75 000. Nos 448 and 450—first floor—Calline, Brundette & Co clothing, loss, $50 000. Second floor—A G Cushing loss $100 000. Third and fourth floors—Hohenthal Whitehead & Co, clothing loss $300 000. No 452—first floor—Power, Gaston & Co, shoes loss $75 000. Second floor—Phelps & Cresdell Smith and Charles Aims, all jewelers, loss, $30 000. Third and fourth floors—George E Shotridge & Co clothing, loss $200 000. Continental Hotel—Charles Meredith loss $75 000. The numbers on Grand street were as follows: No 125—Pittalol House—Fenigan & Smith, loss, $10 000. Second floor—Brizamski furs, loss $5,000. No 127—Wm Sheyer & Co, silks loss $30,000. Second floor—Stone $20 000. No 129—Kauffman Brothers, cigars and Tullet Dcyer & Co, importers of cloth, loss not ascertained. The total loss of stock is not far from $2 000 000 and the loss on buildings will add another million to this sum. The fire was the most destructive in the city for fifteen years. Its origin has not been ascertained. Three firemen were killed and four seriously injured by falling walls.

Babcock's Trial.

ST LOUIS Feb 8—The United States circuit court opened promptly at 10 A M to-day, and without any delay the selection of a jury in the Babcock case was proceeded with. Jurors were examined very briefly by the prosecution and the defense made no examination whatever of most of the jurors, but three or four were put through a rigid inquiry. James Milton of Milton county, was excused for cause. He admitted that the finding of an indictment against a party left a bad impression on his mind, which would probably require proof to remove. Both sides exhausted all their peremptory challenges, three each and a jury was finally sworn in. The district attorney announced that no more whisky cases would come before the court at this special term and all the jurors outside this trial panel were discharged. The district attorney then addressed the jury, opening the case for the prosecution. He repeated his story of the conspiracy which was organized here in 1871 stating that it involved all distillers and rectifiers and Government officers and employes here, and had its ramifications even in Washington. He cited several dispatches alleged to have passed between Joyce, McDonald, Avery and Babcock, to show that the two latter persons were engaged in the conspiracy, and corresponded with the conspirators. The dispatches between Joyce and Babcock touching the appointment of Colonel Maguire as collector of Internal Revenue, after the death of Chas W. Ford, were cited, and Colonel Dyer stated that it would be proved that from that time on the defendant furnished information to the ring here. All revenue agents sent here to examine affairs were either bought up on arrival, or advices had been received here of their contemplated visits, and opportunity was thus given to distillers to straighten up and show regular work. Dyer claimed that it would be clearly shown that Babcock not only had full knowledge of the existence of the fraud but that he aided the conspirators in their work, and received money directly from Joyce, who mailed it to him. Babcock and Avery were the two men at Washington who kept the ring posted. Even after the indictment of Gen. John McDonald, Babcock it would be proved, was in secret correspondence with him. The evidence, Col Dyer said, would in a measure be circumstantial, but there would not be a link missing in the chain.

ST LOUIS, Feb. 9—Acting under the advice of the court, given just before adjournment last night, the Government counsel in the Babcock trial today passed over the conspiracy in 1871 and 1872, and produced testimony to show the existence and operations of the whisky ring from 1873 to 1875. No direct evidence was brought out against Babcock, the testimony being of a general character, tending to show who were in the conspiracy and its extent. Joseph M. Fitzroy was put on the stand at the opening of the morning session, and remained an hour and a half. Fitzroy was deputy collector of internal revenue, and after the departure of Magrue, in November, in 1872, became the active business manager of the ring. The examination proceeded, with only occasional technical objections from the defense, and very little of the testimony was ruled out. Fitzroy was asked if he knew the defendant and said, "I met Gen. Babcock once last September. It was at the Lindell House, in this city. Avery introduced me to him. The President was at the hotel, as he was on the occasion of a visit to this city by the President and Gen. Babcock. I had not seen Gen. Babcock before that time. I was under an indictment for complicity in these frauds." On cross-examination Fitzroy says of this meeting with Babcock, that it was simply an introduction. There was no conversation. I was standing near the elevator. Gen Babcock came up and Avery introduced us. After Fitzroy, John F Sledentoff, the foreman at Ulrich's distillery, was put on the stand.

Centennial Railroad Fares.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 9—A convention of general railroad ticket agents (American) began its session here, having been called together to adopt rates to be charged during the centennial season. Nearly all the principal roads in America were represented and one hundred agents being in attendance. Nothing definite has been transacted, but it is thought a reduction of 25 per cent, from regular rates will be made.

Postal Contract Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Feb 9—The House committee on postoffices and postroads to day continued the examination of Holbrook, former special agent of the department, who gave testimony showing collusion of contractors with clerks for the purpose of procuring fraudulent contracts, alluding to the case of Kittle & Hinds in that connection.

Will have Nothing to do with It.

PROVIDENCE R. I. Feb 9—The three Congregational churches of this city, invited to the Beecher advisory council have declined.

Not Coming.

NEW YORK Feb 9—A letter was received here yesterday from the private secretary of the Crown Prince of Prussia in which he states that, owing to personal matters, it will be impossible to visit America this year.

James Parton Marries His Stepdaughter.

BOSTON Feb 8—There is quite a sensation in Newburyport over the marriage of James Parton the author to his stepdaughter the same being forbidden by the statutes of this State. The bridegroom learned his status this morning, after the wedding and to prevent further scandal left his house in charge of his wife, and took rooms for himself at a boarding house. He will apply to the legislature for a special act sanctioning the marriage.

Sale of Timber Lands.

CHICAGO Feb 9—The senate committee on public lands has agreed to report favorably on Kelly's bill providing for the sale of timber lands in California and Oregon and the Territories and a great system of internal improvements is to be attempted.

The Texas Pacific Investigation.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says the committee on the judiciary will resume the investigation of the Texas Pacific Railway case to day. The information already filed with the committee consists wholly of statements which have already been printed accusing the agents of the Memphis and El Paso Railway Company, under whose charter the Texas Pacific Company is partially organized with having secured the charter by the wholesale bribery of members of Congress newspaper men and others. A number of gentlemen interested in the present organization and in the old Memphis and El Paso Company are now here and will be examined by the committee.

Our Mints.

CHICAGO Feb 8—The *Times* Washington special says: The committee on appropriations after hearing Dr Linderman has about decided that instead of there being a necessity for the establishment of a new mint in the West almost a general abolition of them could be made. The one at New Orleans will be among those to be abolished as well as that at Charlotte N C and Boise City. At Carson, Helena and Denver nothing but assay offices are to be maintained keeping no other employes than an assayer melter and clerk. This arrangement will leave but two mints—the one at Philadelphia and the one at San Francisco. At present these mints have a capacity of $1... 000 000 and as the capacity of the country is but $60,000,000 the need of new mints is not established. Dr Linderman was before the committee principally to ask for increased opportunities at San Francisco, Carson and Philadelphia claiming them on account of the increased coinage of silver under the operations of the resumption act. The majority of the committee are hard money men and it will be seen that in this manner the financial question will probably get before the House before action by the ways and means or banking and currency committees.

Territorial Matters.

The committee on Territories have under consideration a bill providing for the admission of New Mexico and Colorado and also one to change the governments of Territories so as to permit the people to elect their own officers instead of having them appointed, as is now done by the General Government. These measures have not been fully matured but meet with favorable consideration by the committee, and will be reported in a short time.

The Cincinnati Opera House Disaster.

CINCINNATI Feb 8—The funeral of the Lowe brothers Augustus and Frederick and of Cornelius Crowley who were killed in the Robinson Opera House disaster Saturday took place yesterday. There was a large attendance. The friends of Mal Runzi another victim arrived from Alton Ill and returned with the body. The list of names has been considerably increased but there were no more fatal cases.

Respectfully Decline.

BOSTON Feb 8—Whitefield Church at Newburyport and the First Church of Stratford Connecticut decline the invitation to the Plymouth Church advisory council.

The Earl of Derby on England's Foreign Policy.

LONDON Feb 9—In the debate on the address in the House of Lords the Earl of Derby replying to a speech by Earl Granville said: "We have every motive to insist on only what is strictly reasonable from China but we cannot go back from what we have demanded. I sincerely hope China will not be guilty of any evasion to shield the guilty." In regard to the insurrection in Herzegovina, Lord Derby admitted that the apprehensions were probably not without cause, that if the contest were not promptly suppressed, Servia and Montenegro might join in it and general confusion ensue, which would reopen the whole Eastern question. A war of that kind would inevitably become a religious war between Mussulmans and Christians. Even if no actual conflict ensued feelings of animosity would be engendered which would probably not be confined to Europe, but cause us trouble in another part of the world. There were grave reasons for England's agreeing to the Austrian note, and he repeated some of these.

The Eastern Question.

LONDON, Feb 9.—The Russian Telegraph Agency reports that there is no reason to believe that the Sultan, when he forwards his reply to the Austrian note will simultaneously grant an armistice to the insurgents. A Vienna dispatch says the European consuls at Mostar have received instructions to negotiate with the insurgents on the basis of Andrassy's proposals. The Porte is preparing a circular to the powers complaining of the activity of the International Revolutionary Committee at Ragusa.

It is reported that the Servian Ministers have declared their intention to resign. The ... organ of the Premier says there is no doubt that the Skupschina is resolved to go to war with Turkey.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb 9—The Porte's reply to Andrassy's note has not been delayed, the Grand Vizier desiring to add that the Porte takes the note as a promise that in the consideration of adoption of reforms by Turkey, the powers will lend their moral support to a pacification of the revolted districts. The reply has been submitted to the Sultan and will be dispatched to the European courts without delay.

Disraeli on the Eastern Question.

LONDON, Feb 9—In his speech in the House of Commons last night Disraeli made the following important announcement: "Before we agreed to support the Austrian note it had been intimated to us in an unmistakable manner that it was the Porte's desire, however much it objected to the note, that England should not stand aloof."

A Protestant Church Stoned by a Mob in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO Feb. 1—A mob recently stoned the Protestant Church in the Plaza of San Fernando in this city. The Protestants in Acapulco are rapidly increasing in numbers since the assassination of Richardson.

P. H. Sumner Arrested.

NEW YORK, Feb 8—Perrin H Sumner has been arrested in Brooklyn charged with forgeries in California of over $200,000. He was an official in a Baptist Church, and covered his transactions with professed piety. He is expected to start to-day. Among his victims was Osbourne of Brooklyn, New York, who paid Sumner $2,500 on account of negotiations for the purchase of Inglewood near Oakland.

Fires—More Fighting.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—A letter from Havana, dated Feb. 3d, says: The destruction of property by fire still continues, and night before last at Jaguey Gonde, the streets were illuminated by the glare of several fires in different directions in the neighborhood.

The papers bring details of a fight at Sagua near Remedios, where the Spaniards claim to have repulsed the insurgents twice, killing six men and four horses, and probably wounding many more. Several cane fields were burned, and three Spaniards killed and five wounded. At Holguin the enemy attacked and burned the village and fort of Yorcniguer, which the Governor says was traitorously surrendered. Eight hundred insurgents attacked Neabozon, but were repulsed and lost fifteen killed. The Spaniards lost ten killed and fifteen wounded.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Ophir 60, Mexican 19½, G & C 21, B & B 50½, Savage 19½, Chollar 92, H & N 52½, Crown Point 25½, Yellow Jacket 101, Imperial 9, Empire Mill 6, Kentuck 15½, Alpha 25½, Belcher 37½, Confidence 21, Con Virginia 411, S Nevada 21½, Cal 82, Exchequer 13½, Daney 1, Seg Belcher 93, Overman 67, Justice 20½, Union 10, Succor 3½, Bryan 3½, Julia 14½, Caledonia 4½.

EVENING BOARD—Valley 3½, Raymond & E 21½, Eu Con 15½, Eldo South 1, Belmont 1½, Cherry Creek 1, Leopard 10, Jackson 2½, Adams Hill 1½, Prussian 2, Jefferson 5½, Gila 2, Panther 3, Hussey 1½, Gen Thomas 3½, N Belle 33, Mansfield 62½c, Advance 8½, Coso Con 90c, New Coso 75c, G Chariot 2½, S Chariot 62½c, Empire Idaho 50c, Poorman 3, Globe 87½, Knickerbocker 3, Baltimore 3½, S Hall 1½, Dayton 7½, W Fargo 20c, Leviathan 1½, Columbia 50c, Alta 3½, Occidental 4½, Am Flat 2, R Island 4, New York Con 1½, Florida 2, Woodville 3½, Mint 1, L Washington 3½, Kossuth 3, Seg Caledonia 1½, O G Hill 1½, Andes 3½, Pacific 1, Europa 50c, Prospect 5½, Maryland 50c, Morning Star 4½, Monumental 1, Trojan 1 30.

Death of Dr. T. M. Logan.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Dr. Thomas M. Logan, well known throughout the Pacific coast for many years as secretary of the State Board of Health, died at his residence in Sacramento last evening of typhoid pneumonia, aged about 70 years. The deceased was a graduate of the medical college of South Carolina and honorary member of many Eastern and European medical societies.

The Weather.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 14.—We are about cut off from mail communication, having had no mail since the steamer of a week ago. The stages are running regularly to Anaheim, but the interruption appears to be north of there. A large mail is expected by the steamer *Mohongo* due here to-day. The weather has settled down warm, clear and pleasant; grass and grain are growing finely, farmers all feel joyous over the prospect of an abundant harvest. Most favorable accounts come from all parts of the country.

A letter from Warner's ranch, ninety miles northeast of here, says: We have been having the severest weather here known for ten years, snow fell to the depth of 3 feet. There is much suffering, and probably the loss of many cattle and sheep.

THE TRADE DOLLAR.—Washington, Feb. 8.—The Secretary of the Treasury has sent to the Senate finance committee a communication from Director Linderman, recommending the repeal of the law which makes the trade dollar a legal tender to the amount of $5. Linderman argues that it should not be a legal tender at all, because individuals can now make a profit of nearly 5 per cent if they can use it at par and thus force it into circulation while at a discount it causes inconvenience in retail transactions. He recommends, however that silver dollars be coined of the same standard as the present minor silver coins and that this proposed new coin be made a legal tender for amounts not exceeding $10. It will be observed that these recommendations are directly antagonistic to the pending bill of Piper and Sargent.

The Peck mine at Prescott Arizona, has struck a solid vein of ore one foot thick which assays at the rate of $7,527 to the ton. Five assays of ore from one shaft in the Evening Star mine averaged $1,440 a ton the highest being about $3,000 and the lowest $832.

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THE COMMON SCHOOLS

The condition of the common schools being under consideration, various questions suggest themselves respecting the best means of making the system efficient and successful The first of these in the natural order of things is as to the proper scope of the common schools Before an intelligent conclusion can be reached as to how to make the schools accomplish the object for which they are designed it is necessary to know what that object is. In a general way the common school system is designed to educate the youth of the land, but that definition of its purposes is altogether too general The education contemplated by the system does not mean a thorough scientific and classic course. It does not include all that a thorough education is understood to embrace There is, then, some limit at which the course of public education stops, leaving whatever is beyond to institutions of a private character Where is that limit? Practically, the answer varies widely, according to circumstances But where should it be? To answer that question rationally would require an examination into the legitimate purposes of a system of public schools And at the threshold of that inquiry lies the proposition that public education, implies taxation of the people at large for the education of a part of the people: taxation of those who have not, as well as those who have, children to be educated, for the purpose of supporting public schools. In the abstract this is unjust. It is taking a certain portion of the property of one and devoting it to the education of the children of another, without any direct compensation therefor No argument is needed to show the unfairness of such a tax. To justify it, there must be some object of government, some interest of the body politic subserved, which outweighs the injustice which particular individuals may suffer. What is that object? What is that interest? The object is the peace, order and prosperity of the community Experience has demonstrated that ignorance is the parent of indigence, vice, social disorders and crime These are inconvenient, expensive and dangerous. The prevention of them is as much a legitimate object of government as their suppression. Education having been found one of the most influential preventive agencies, it is a proper instrument of government, and therefore may be properly supported by general taxation. But how far? So far only as will promote virtue, industry, good order. Whatever is more than this is in excess of the legitimate scope of public education. The exact limit will always be a matter upon which people who give attention to such subjects will be at variance. Experience has not yet gathered facts sufficient for a safe basis of induction. Probably it never will. Probably the exact degree of intelligence, or the exact amount of education that is most conducive to virtue and good citizenship, on an average, will never be definitely ascertained. But reason and common sense fix the limit among the elementary branches of education. The graduate of college, one case taken with another, will hardly be found a more virtuous, or in any respect a better citizen than he who possesses but a fair English education. The man who can read the language of his country and write his correspondence usually keeps his faculties active and is up with the times. For all the duties of intelligent and virtuous citizenship he is equal to his neighbor who amuses himself with foreign tongues and speculative sciences.

These suggestions open to discussion a subject which is of practical importance, and which is to be met and settled before we get our common schools on the true basis. The attempt to get at the bottom of the right to tax for school purposes may be thought uncalled for since the right itself is not questioned. But it is only by understanding the fundamental principles on which political powers are exercised that we are able to fix just limits to such exercise. It is only by a clear apprehension of the nature of the relations between a public institution and the private citizen on the one hand and the government on the other that correct notions can be arrived at as to the support that ought to be given to that institution.

COMING TO THEIR SENSES

To all appearances the panic of the politicians at the East on the subject of railway companies is passing away. The action on the Northern Pacific bill indicates that such is the case, and the general tone of reports concerning the Texas Pacific enterprise looks the same way It is to be hoped Congress will recover from its senseless scare on this subject, and proceed to act like a body of rational beings There never was any ground for the timidity and tender-footedness shown The clamors of the people were well understood, by all who had courage enough to understand them, to be directed against the abuses which had been carried on under loosely drawn subsidy acts, and there has never been a time a subsidy with full and complete protection against oppression and abuse of the people's generosity would have elicited any very considerable manifestation of hostility from the people But the politicians got frightened and the subsidized corporations who desired to prevent competition with themselves improved every opportunity to make the fright a panic and so the conventions and political assemblages of various sorts manipulated by the small politicians and agents of the subsidized corporations passed resolutions that outheroded Herod in their hostility to all further aid to corporations. The farmers and other working classes, in their own conventions, were more conservative They generally demanded restriction and regulation to prevent oppression by the carrying corporations. On that sensible and safe ground the people have stood all along as their expressions when uninfluenced by the managers alluded to above have almost invariably shown It is encouraging to see these signs of returning reason in the politicians who for the time being are our statesmen And there is cause to hope that before the present session is ended the prospects of the transcontinental lines which are to break the monopoly of the Union and Central Pacific will have brightened

WHATS IN A NAME!

Our Washington county letter is to the effect that the all absorbing question among the local politicians in that county is as to the name under which the candidates for office must appear in order to commend themselves with the greatest force to the voters If they have no greater question than that to present there ought to be no difficulty in selecting the best men for the places to be filled for unless we greatly overestimate the spirit and intelligence of the people of Washington county the question of party name will have no very formidable influence in their local election It is the inalienable right of the people to take care of their local interests according to their best judgment and for that purpose to place such men in charge of these interests as by past trial or personal character can be best trusted to carry out their views The people of Washington county are to be congratulated, if it is true that their main difference is of so unimportant a character An honest and capable man, like the rose, takes his qualifications from other facts than that of the political name under which he appears

The jury in the case of Mr Landis are persuaded to acquit him of the crime of murder on the ground that he was insane Evidence was sought for and produced in any quantity to prove that he was incapable of the commission of any crime, on account of his moral irresponsibility The ink with which the verdict was recorded was hardly dry before an application was made for an inquisition to try the sanity of Mr. Landis, and now, as the result of that inquisition Mr Landis is declared to be perfectly sane and has been set at liberty

In an action to which the Adams Express Company was a party, Judge Wallace of New York, decided that the conditions printed on the receipts given by the company for goods received by them for shipment constitute a binding contract, and that in all cases where the owner of goods delivered to the express company sets no special value upon them, he can recover only fifty dollars' damage if they should be lost

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb 14—Clayton introduced a bill to amend section 5546 of the revised statutes for the imprisonment and transfer of U. S. prisoners which was referred. He also presented the correspondence between himself and the Attorney General of the United States on the subject and moved it be referred to the judiciary committee together with so much of the report of the Attorney-General as related to the matter. It was so ordered

Ingalls said the Senate had already received information as to the ravages of insects upon vegetation in the West during the past year. The actual loss from the ravages of locusts, chinch bugs, army and cotton worm, and Hessian fly exceeded two hundred million dollars, and from locusts alone, the amount exceeded fifty million. In seven counties of Minnesota, nearly 60,000 bushels of locusts were destroyed at a cost of $80 000. He believed the subject was worthy of the attention of Congress, and therefore introduced a bill for the protection of agriculture against the injurious insects, referred

Sherman submitted a resolution to take from the files of the Senate and return to the State Department copies of various treaties which have already been acted upon, and presented a letter from the Secretary of State

The bill to amend certain provisions of the revised statutes of the United States relating to transportation of animals passed 30 to 24

The resolution for the admission of P. B. S. Pinchback, as Senator from Louisiana, was then taken up on motion of Morton.

Kelly presented the memorial of the Walla Walla Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, of Washington Territory, asking an appropriation for the construction of a canal at the Cascades of the Columbia river Oregon; referred to the committee on commerce Also, the petition of citizens of Columbia county and Walla Walla, W. T., in favor of passing a law annexing Walla Walla and Columbia counties to the State of Oregon.

Sargent called up the Senate bill to grant a right of way for railroad purposes through the United States arsenal grounds, near Benicia, California

Boutwell moved to amend so as to provide that Congress shall have the right at any time to alter amend or repeal the act, agreed to, and the bill passed as amended

Mitchell called up the Senate bill extending the time for the completion of the Oregon Central railway and telegraph line from Portland to Astoria and McMinnville Oregon He submitted an amendment similar to that incorporated in the bill extending the time for the completion of the Northern Pacific railroad passed last week to protect homestead rights and entries made prior to the time of notice of withdrawal of lands from the market which was agreed to. Mitchell said the only object of the bill was to extend the time for the completion of the road five years. The grant was made in May, 1870, and all of the road had been constructed except about 80 miles It made no additional land grant whatever

Edmunds moved an amendment similar to that incorporated in the Northern Pacific Railway bill on his motion that nothing in the bill shall be construed to affect existing private rights, and that Congress shall have power to alter, amend or repeal the act at pleasure, and that the company shall file with the Secretary of the Interior its assent to the provisions of the act, agreed to, and bill passed as amended.

House.

Under call of States in addition to private bills and for bills for works of internal improvements public buildings &c, the following bills were introduced and referred

By Banks (by request), in relation to bounties to nine months' volunteers

By Meade, to provide for the payment of United States notes, and to strengthen the public credit.

By Juncks, to repeal the third section of the act of 1874, establishing national bank redemption agency

By Biddle of Tennessee, directing the transmission of printed matter through the mails when postage thereon is insufficient

By Baker of Indiana to make banking free and to repeal resumption act.

By Harrison for the repeal of the resumption acts and for the purpose of preparing the way for the resumption of specie payment It directs the Secretary of the Treasury whenever national bank notes are withdrawn from circulation, to issue in their stead an equal amount of legal tender U S notes. But he is not to issue them except when the aggregate amount of unredeemed legal tender notes and national bank notes in circulation are less than the aggregate amount of both classes of notes that were in circulation on the 1st of January 1875 It also requires national banks to retain as part of their resources all the gold received by them as interest on their bonds held by the United States as security for their circulation until the amount of gold retained shall equal one third of their circulation which gold so retained shall be security for their circulation and deposits It also requires the Secretary of the Treasury to retain from the gold received for customs duties $16 000 000 annually until the amount so retained shall be equal to one third of the amount of legal tender notes at such time unredeemed which gold so retained shall be taken from the sinking fund Whenever the amount of gold retained in the Treasury shall be one-third the amount of the unredeemed legal tenders then the Secretary of the Treasury is to redeem legal tenders to the amount of $12 000 000 annually using for that purpose the gold received for customs duties which gold is to be taken from the amount ordered to be set apart for the sinking fund The bill was referred to the committee on banking and currency

By Fort—For preservation of forests on public domain adjacent to sources of navigable rivers and other streams

The House rejected the resolution offered by Hale in favor of specie resumption yeas 86 nays 137

Pratt commissioner of the Internal revenue department, was before the House committee on appropriations to-day and expressed a wish to confer with the sub committee that he may suggest in what particular the expense of his bureau can be reduced

Line down south —OPERATOR

TILLAMOOK COUNTY

HER LANDS TIMBER GAME AND OTHER RESOURCES

TILLAMOOK Feb 8, 1876

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

As you published my former letter I am encouraged to give you a few more items relating to [illegible] Tillamook in the hope that some of the many readers of your journal may be induced to pay us a visit at the proper season and judge for themselves whether the statements I made in my former letter and those I may make hereafter will stand an investigation or not

Tillamook county is estimated to possess an area of from 2,000 to 2,500 square miles Her population is about 500—rather under than over—and her value of assessable property is $140 000

Tillamook bay is a sheet of water of about fifteen miles in length and an average of three miles in width, accessible for vessels drawing 12 feet of water There are five rivers emptying into the bay namely the Miami Kilchis Wilson or Dougherty Trask and Tillamook There are are two rivers in the county which empty into the ocean The mouth of Nehalem is 8 miles north of the entrance to the bay and the mouth of the Nestucker is about 20 miles south from the entrance to the bay Extensive belts of timber are found along the banks of these rivers for a distance of 20 miles from where they empty into the bay The banks of some of these rivers are profusely covered with the finest timber on the continent and in a short time lumbering will form one of the leading interests of the county

We have another bay four miles south of Tillamook bay called

NETARTS

It is a beautiful sheet of water of about five miles long and two wide abounding in nearly all kinds of fish incident to Oregon waters—such as salmon salmon trout bass rock cod, pogies and sturgeon including clams cockles, crabs mussels and oysters The abundance of all kinds of game in the vicinity of this bay the scenery and climate make it alike attractive to the tourist the sportsman the invalid and the weary emigrant seeking a home in Oregon

Tillamook County possesses an abundance of agricultural and grazing lands Farming lands partially improved can be purchased at from $3 to $5 per acre those improved from $8 to $12 per acre and the greater proportion of unimproved land can be obtained at government prices

Time and space preclude my giving you more items at present, but in my next I will endeavor to give you the amount of butter, cheese beef cattle hides furs elk horns timothy seed lumber white spruce stave bolts etc, which find their way annually to your market

Respectfully yours
TILLAMOOK

DIED:

At Clatskanie Feb 12 Mrs E Tichenor wife of W K Tichenor and eldest daughter of Hon E W Conyers aged 21 years and 6 months

NEW TO-DAY.

FOR SALE: A BARGAIN.
LOTS 1 AND 2, BLOCK 327 ... $1 500
fe12d3t ATKINSON & WAKEFIELD

SHAWLS. Entire Stock now offered at clearance prices, at 107 Third st by JOHN WILSON

IF YOU WISH TO PURCHASE A BOX OF FINE Cigars go to FINNEN S Havana Cigar Store, 98 First street. Cigars retailed at wholesale prices

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IS OPEN DAY AND NIGHT GIVE TIM A call He is always on hand with the best articles in his line fe16d10t

EX JANE A. FALKINBURG.
From Honolulu direct
2,000 Kegs Island Sugars,
Assorted Grades.
For sale by fe15d1m ALLEN & LEWIS.

LOST.
ON WEDNESDAY LAST ON B STREET A Black and Tan Terrier PUP Any person returning it to JAS LAIDLAW, No 7 First street will be rewarded fe15d3t

TO THE PUBLIC.

C H. MEUSSDORFFER—
Our new Styles in Felt Hats will mostly be in the last week in February, and will send you ½ dozen each, as they arrive The Silk Hats we will introduce the last Saturday in this month, Feb 26, and will send you one dozen XXX Silk Hats being the highest crown Also one dozen No 1 of the lower crown or the Young Gents' style Our Straw Hats a large portion of which I ordered by samples made for me while there at the Factory in New York, will not be here before the middle of March We send you to-day one dozen of each six lots of the new Styles received yesterday. Yours
J C MEUSSDORFFER.
San Francisco Feb 9, 1876 fe15d6t

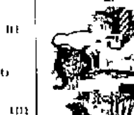
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By A. B. RICHARDSON, AUCTIONEER
I will sell on the premises Salmon st between Fifth and sixth on
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At 10 o clock A. M
PARLOR FURNITURE.
One Elegant Black Walnut SOFA
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ALSO.
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ALSO.
One Fine Black Walnut EXTENSION TABLE
One " " " SIDEBOARD marble top
ALSO
CROCKERY GLASSWARE and KITCHEN FURNITURE
A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

SCHOOL TAXES
FOR THE YEAR 1875 MUST BE PAID ON OR before the first day of March, or I will collect the same by levy and sale of property I am now taking the census of the School District and will be in my office from 3 to 5 P M each day
GEO W MURRAY,
Clerk of School District No 1.
Portland Feb 9 1876 td

NEW GOODS.
A 1 Sugar Cured Hams,
Stuffed Olives.
Stuffed Peppers.
For sale by HACHENEY & STEMME,
Dealers in First Class Groceries,
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LARD OIL, CHINA OIL, DOG FISH Spindle oil and Castor oil
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FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE
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S HARRIS, ESQ., CONDUCTOR,
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OF THE
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Tuesday Evening, February 22, 1876.

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J R. Shaver — F Bushwiler
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John A Crouch
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GRAND PARADE DURING THE DAY.
Tickets, $1 50.

Y. M. C. A. LECTURES.
SIX POPULAR LECTURES BEFORE THE Young Men's Christian Association at their Rooms, corner First and Alder streets
The Fourth will be on TUESDAY February 20th Exercises to commence at 7 30 P M This Lecture will be delivered by
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SUBJECT—"CAUGHT A TARTAR."
The Lectures will be introduced by some choice music
Tickets for the Course at J K Gill's and in the hands of a committee of Ladies in each Church Course, $1 50

50 DOZEN CHILDREN'S HOSE! Greatly Reduced,
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To those that try the Process Examination of person not often necessary but personal interview desirable If unable to visit me the Remedies may be sent by Express In some cases (not Mail) The most respectable references in Portland Salem and elsewhere Persons from a distance need not be detained but a short time—one day It is desirable that ladies call (accompanied with a friend if they please) from .. to 9 o clock P M Gentlemen from 9 to 12 A M and from 5 to 7 P M. I mean what I say—Immediate Relief from Pain and Distress
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fe12d&w1m DR T F WIGHTMAN

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DR. ALFRED KINNEY has removed his Office and Residence to the Northwest corner of Alder and East Park streets (double house), where he can be found at any time

REMOVAL.
DOCTOR W. B. CARDWELL HAS REmoved his office to the corner of First and Morrison in the same office with Doctor J A Chapman He can be found at his office at all hours either day or night when not professionally absent

REMOVED.
DR STRONG HAS REMOVED TO THE RESIdence, Corner of Fourth and Salmon streets, where he may be found outside of office hours.
Office, as before No 5 Dekum's Building j21d1m

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NOTICE.
ALL ACCOUNTS DUE TO M SELLER UP TO the 1st day of January, 1876 will be collected by the undersigned as also all debts owing up to the foregoing date will be paid on presentation
f1d1m M SELLER

Amendments to the Constitution of the Library Association.
IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER MADE AT THE Annual Meeting of the Library Association of Portland held at the Library Rooms on the evening of Saturday the 5th instant I hereby give notice that at an adjourned meeting of said Association to be held at the Rooms aforesaid at half past 7 o clock P M of Wednesday March 1, 1876 an amendment to Article II of the Constitution of said Association will be proposed and considered for the purpose of authorizing and providing for Perpetual Memberships in said Association, and the disposition and use of the funds arising from the sale of said memberships.
HENRY A OXER
Recording Secretary Library Association
February 8, 1876 fe9d151



45 First Street, Portland, Oregon

Notice to Tax-Payers.
EAST PORTLAND CITY TAXES FOR THE year 1875 are now due and those costs must be paid within thirty days from date
Office open until 8 o'clock P M
W F CORSON City Treasurer
Corner Fourth and I streets East Portland
January 24 1876 j26d1m

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NOTICE.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE OREGON Bible Society will be held in the Baptist Church in this city on WEDNESDAY March 1st commencing at 10 o'clock A M with an evening meeting same day commencing at 7 o'clock P M A sermon will be delivered in the evening and also addresses in the evening All friends of the cause are cordially invited to be present
I B BABBITT Secretary
Portland Feb 13 1876 f14d1t

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I HAVE ON HAND AND OFFER FOR SALE One Hundred Head of Fine Fat Steers, from four to eight years old Ranch five miles south of Corvallis on the main road P O Corvallis CREIGH SMITH

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AN ELEGANT GUILD CHURCH & CO PIANO nearly new which will be sold at a bargain Can be seen at the Auction Store of OSCAR KILBOURN

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HOUSE ON EAST SIDE THIRD STREET BETween Salmon and Main for rent and Furniture of a fine quality for sale cheap Also for sale a lot of Store Fixtures including Shelves Counters Mirrors 2 fine Show Cases Stands &c. Also one fine Piano Any one desiring to locate in this city will hereby have a good chance to purchase the necessary furniture very cheap Please call and examine between 2 and 4 P M for the next two weeks
f17d6t MRS H ACH

HOTEL FOR SALE.
IN OSWEGO SEVEN MILES ABOVE PORTland The Iron Works employ a large number of men and this Hotel is doing a good business If you are on the work economical industrious honest accommodating and know how to keep a hotel this is a good opening For particulars see
j22d1m DeLASHMUTT & OATMAN

Executors' Sale.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNdersigned will sell at private sale the South ½ of Lots 4 and 5 in Block No 49, in the City of Portland, Oregon known as CREE'S BLOCK
For terms of sale apply to JOHN A CRAWFORD at Albany or JOHN CATLIN, at Portland
Executors of Last Will and Testament of Wm. Cree deceased

PLUMMER FRUIT DRYER.
AS A PROOF OF WHAT I HAVE HERETOFORE stated to the people of Oregon I give below a letter from the Plummer Fruit Drying Co of East Portland. After the close of business of 1875 fully endorsing it, after using it one entire season, and as a proof to substantiate what they say they now contemplate putting up another Dryer of the same capacity of the one they now have, which will increase their capacity to five hundred bushels of apples per day. Having now located here in Portland for the purpose of supplying the demand for Fruit Dryers in Oregon and Washington Territory I can supply these dryers at a cost of from $2 000 to $4,000, according to capacity Warranted to dry from 8 to 16 bushels of apples per hour at a small cost for labor and fuel These machines being so cheap and simple in construction they cannot fail to supersede all other known machines I would also say to the fruit growers, that I have invented a Machine (and am now waiting for a patent), that will cut and spread the fruit on the trays with a very small amount of labor I also have invented a Peach Parer that is on an entirely new principle, paring soft as well as hard; does its work well, with great speed, and slices and pits the fruit ready for the Dryer in the best possible manner, and at a great saving in quantity of fruit.
W S PLUMMER, Patentee,
ja7d&wtf Portland, Oregon

FRUIT DRYER TESTIMONIALS.

EAST PORTLAND, Jan 4th, 1876
MR W. S PLUMMER—*Dear Sir* As this is a time when all are much interested in Fruit Drying we think that in justice to you and for the information of the public it is but right and proper that we should give all the information that we can Now after having operated your Dryer during this season we feel warranted in saying that for the amount of money invested we still believe as we did from the start that *your* Dryer is the best Dryer yet introduced into this country. The capacity of the Dryer we find to be about 8 (eight) bushels per hour The Dried fruit we claim to be as good as any, though perhaps not as much bleached as the "Alden" Fruit and we are satisfied that we can produce Dried Fruit at less expense than the "Alden" The stockholders of our Company manifested their confidence in the Plummer Dryer at our meeting last Saturday by a unanimous vote to increase the capital stock $12,000 (twelve thousand dollars) for the purpose of adding one more Dryer to the present one, and making other improvements for next season. We will further say that we believe that by an improvement made by the patentee in the Heater and Fan that there will be an increase of capacity and a saving of Fuel
H. HANSON President,
J S NEWELL, Secretary and Superintendent.

EAST PORTLAND, Dec. 13, 1875.
MR. PLUMMER—*Dear Sir* I have been watching both the Alden and your Fruit Dryer the past season so as to determine which was the best Machine for drying Prunes I visited the Alden Dryer at Oregon City, and examined the Prunes dried on that Machine, and I have also examined several lots dried on your Machine at East Portland, and my opinion is that your Dryer is far the best Machine for drying Prunes. My reasons are these. Your Machine dries them without bursting or cracking, while I noticed that a great deal of the fruit dried on the Alden Machine was bursted open and after a Prune is bursted in drying it is worthless for market as a Prune therefore I can recommend your Machine for drying Prunes or any thing else Yours truly
H. W. PRETTYMAN
Proprietor of Railroad Nursery

PORTLAND, Jan 10, 1876
MR W S PLUMMER—*Dear Sir* The Dryer purchased by us from you for the purpose of drying our Onions has now been in operation two months and does good work All those that have tried the product pronounce it the very best quality
Yours truly STEEL & CO

State Treasurer's Third Notice.
TREASURER'S OFFICE,
SALEM Feb 9, 1876
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds in the Treasury for the payment of the following State Warrants, issued in 1870 to-wit Nos 1187, 1174 1186 1190 1191, 1180, 1195 1188 1187 1176 1197, 1198 1199 1200, 1201 1204 1205 1206 1207, 1209 1210, 1215, 1216 1223, 1224, 1225 1226, 1228, 1230 1231 1232 1237, 1238 1285 1239 1241, 1240 1242 1217, 1247 1243 1250 1248, 1251, 1257 1259 1263, 1264, 1258 1266, 1268, 1270 1271, 1272 1273 1269, 1275 1276 1267 1279 1274, 1281 1277 1286, 1288 1289 1290, 1291, 1287 1292 1295, 1297 1298 1299 1300 1301, 1303 1304 1305, 1306 1307 1310 1311, 1344 1324, 1325 1326 and 1347 Interest on the above warrants will cease from this date
Also the holders of warrants Nos. 285 286, 287 336 and 337, are informed that they were advertised January 21 1875, and that interest ceased thereon at that time.
A H BROWN,
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TUESDAY MORNING FEBRUARY ...

CITY.

COMPLETE PASSENGER LIST—Below ... the complete list of passengers ... arrived here on the steamer *Oriflamme* ... morning from San Francisco A ... as telegraphed and published ... W. Smith I C Richardson ... A. Rosenbaum W H Dugger T... E Roberts Mrs D G Leonard ... Mrs J I Sheridan, Ju... wife and daughter M Wi... Parker H I Simmons, J We... Mrs L I Yeargain and child... Morse and child Mrs Irvine an... Miss West J Bollorick J Irvin... Miss A Tucker B, F McI... J B Bragg P A Spicer Geo... J Worthington and son I H... E Haynes Mrs O Brien H... man, Mrs A G Fowler and... Wadhams W Jackson, Dr I... R Evans U S A, Geo H... H H Dosch E T Ralsto... F Kahn Dr Ballard Wi... J Evart, J W Gile Wm V... and child W H Alexander... and 71 in the steerage.

INTERESTING MEETING AT VAN... writing yesterday from V... in speaking of the meeting ... at Vancouver by Gen He... D. W Wakefield of this cit... were exceedingly interesti... successful as a great man... indicating that they were on ... The general was as e... so far as his duty was c... minister of the Gospel coul... and forcible in illustrati... entering into all the hid... irreligious, as if to lead th... where they might be induced ... The congregation in th... largest perhaps that ever ... Methodist Church at any ... many had to leave for want ... Wakefield appeared to be much ... words of exhortation and his ... We have no doubt but ... and Mr Wakefield did m... will be seen many days hen... that they will frequentl...

BAPTIST CHURCH—From the ... First Baptist Church," Port... is learned that the church ... 1860, by the Rev Samuel ... with twelve constituent mem... church building was erecte... $2,500, on grounds donated to ... Stephen Coffin, Esq Dr. Cor... to act as pastor until Septe... owing to continuous ill he... he left for the East In Dece... E C Anderson, D D, arrived ... on his duties as pastor of th... which capacity he acted unti... Rev. A R Medbury was cal... the pastorage of the church ... Henry Failing presented ... an excellent house, to be us... In 1874 Mr. Medbury re... East In the same year t... Rev. D J Pierce, was ca... pastoral charge

OVERBOARD—By a private ... that Johnny Dall, only so... Dall, an "old timer," than ... better or more favorably kno... pioneer business men of Por... overboard during a heavy ga... on the 27th of last October. ... was about 20 years of age ... board the ship *Oriental*, going ... sailor "before the mast," ... He fell from the mizzen ... immediately sunk before an ... made to rescue him Deceas... child of Capt Dall, and wou... a princely estate had he s... of the deep Having a desir... knowledge of navigation from p... the young man embarke... wishes of his father and fou... the "coral reefs" The y... Portland not long since.

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ACCIDENTS—Saturday a man b... living at Rainier, while a... driver was struck by a piece ... and had his lower jaw dis... injured badly He was taken to ... treatment, but owing to ... necessary appliances, it was cons... bring him to Portland The lit... *West* was fired up and started... 2 o'clock Sunday morning M... Salem, met with a painful acci... She was coming down a stai... slipped and fell breaking her ... wrist Dr Whitehouse was ... set the broken member

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY.—Chas ... young man who has been in the ... Messrs. Hacheney & Stemme, ... was arrested yesterday morni... larceny by bailee It seems ... been in the habit of collecting ... and appropriating the same ... After being arrested, defendan... he had appropriated $175 in th... being taken to jail Albee gave ... appearance and was released. ... the case will come up in the p... examination

THE INQUEST CASE.—The Chin... interested in the matter pub... morning in regard to the inque... by the coroner of this coun... of Chin Bok Shu If the alle... and are untrue Mr Wetmore ... to set the matter right if th... $20 was demanded for showing ... an inquest was pretended to be ... a jury the facts are worthy of ... The matter is one of which ... knowledge except on information ...

OREGON MEDICAL COLLEGE.—Dr ... Dean of the Faculty of the ab... college announces to the medical ... students who are interested in t... this college that the faculty ... arrangements to secure a suitabl... the purchase of all modern ... as anatomical models charts ... medical laboratory and every ap... required for a medical college Le... on the first Wednesday in Oc...

SOCIABLE. An entertainment an... consisting of orations declamat... singing, vocal and instrumental m... supper will be held in the basem... ... Over 200 men have ... past four days for the Black H...

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TUESDAY MORNING FEBRUARY 15 1876

CITY.

COMPLETE PASSENGER LIST — Below we publish the complete list of passengers who arrived here on the steamer Oriflamme yesterday morning from San Francisco. A partial list was telegraphed and published: L S Sherman, W Smith, L C Richardson, F Frisby, H A Rosenbaum, W B Dugger, I M Gray, Mrs E Roberts, Mrs D G Leonard, Mrs B Stuart, Mrs P P Sheridan, Judge O N Denny wife and daughter, M Wilzinski, D R Parker, H F Simmons, J West, J Dalgetty, Mrs E I Yeomain and child, Mrs S E Morse and child, Mrs Irvine and daughter, Miss West, J Bullorick, J Irvine, D Constable, Miss A Tucker, B F McElroy and wife, J B Bragg, F A Spicer, Geo Houck, Mrs J Worthington and son, F H Hepps, Mrs M E Haines, Mrs O'Brien, Hon Phil Wasserman, Mrs A G Fowler and daughter, Wm Wadhams, W Jackson, Dr Fisk, L S [illegible], R R Evans, C S A [illegible], Geo Hope, J D Marks, H F Dosch, F T Ralston, Mrs C Harper, E Kahn, Dr Ballard, Wm Smith, Mr J Evert, J W Ode, Wm Wilkinson, wife and child, W H Alexander, Geo W Weidler, and 11 in the steerage.

INTERESTING MEETING AT VANCOUVER — The Citizen, writing yesterday from Vancouver says, in speaking of the meeting held last Sunday at Vancouver by Gen Howard and Mr D W Wakefield of this city: The exercises were exceedingly interesting and as we think, successful as a great many persons arose, indicating that they were on the side of Christianity. The general was as earnest and determined so far as his duty was concerned as any minister of the Gospel could be. He was clear and forcible in illustration at the same time entering into all the hiding places of the irreligious, as if to lead them to the light where they might be induced to become Christians. The congregation in the evening was the largest, perhaps, that ever assembled at the Methodist Church at any one time. Indeed, many had to leave for want of room. Mr Wakefield appeared to be much at home in his words of exhortation and his hymns of praise. We have no doubt but what the general and Mr Wakefield did much good that will be seen many days hence and it is hoped that they will frequently visit our city.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH — From the Manual of the First Baptist Church, Portland Oregon, it is learned that the church was organized in 1860, by the Rev Samuel Cornelius D D, with twelve constituent members. The present church building was erected at a cost of $12,500, on grounds donated to the society by Stephen Coffin, Esq. Dr Cornelius continued to act as pastor until September, 1864, when, owing to continuous ill health of his wife, he left for the East. In December 1866 Rev. E C Anderson, D. D., arrived and entered upon his duties as pastor of the church in which capacity he acted until 1871. In 1872 Rev. A. R. Medbury was called and accepted the pastorage of the church. In 1874 Hon. Henry Failing presented the church with an excellent house, to be used as a parsonage. In 1874, Mr. Medbury resigned and went East. In the same year the present pastor, Rev D. J. Pierce, was called and assumed pastoral charge.

LOST OVERBOARD — By a private letter we learn that Johnny Dall, only son of Capt Wm. Dall, an "old timer," than whom few are better or more favorably known among the pioneer business men of Portland, was lost overboard during a heavy gale off Cape Horn on the 27th of last October. The young man was about 20 years of age. He shipped on board the ship Oriental, going as a common sailor "before the mast," on a long voyage. He fell from the mizzen royal yard, and immediately sunk, before an effort could be made to rescue him. Deceased was the only child of Capt. Dall, and would have inherited a princely estate had he survived the perils of the deep. Having a desire to acquire a knowledge of navigation from practical experience, the young man embarked, contrary to the wishes of his father, and found a grave amid the "coral reefs." The young man visited Portland not long since.

CENTENNIAL ENTERTAINMENT — The entertainment announced to be given by the ladies of the Unitarian Society on the 22d of this month, will take place on the 21st. They have [illegible] for the occasion Turn Halle. A [illegible] will be spread in the lower hall with the substantials and delicacies of 1776, waited on by ladies in the costume of that date. In the upper hall will be dancing, ancient and modern styles. [illegible] They have engaged a veritable spinning wheel, and an opportunity will be given to see how the women of America looked in the days when they spun some [illegible] more than street yarn. "Old Folks" songs will be interspersed during the evening. The guests will be received by General and Lady Washington.

ACCIDENT. — Saturday a man by the name of Nice, living at Rainier, while at work on a pile driver, was struck by a piece of falling timber and had his lower jaw dislocated and fractured badly. He was taken to Kalama for medical treatment, but owing to a lack of [illegible]ry appliances, it was considered best to bring him to Portland. The little steamer Jesse West was fired up and started with him about 2 o'clock Sunday morning. Mrs Money of Kalama, met with a painful accident yesterday. She was coming down a stairway when she slipped and fell, breaking her arm near the wrist. Dr. Whitehouse was summoned and set the broken member.

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY — Chas Albee a young man who has been in the employ of [illegible] Hacheney & Stemme, as delivery clerk, was arrested yesterday morning charged with larceny by bailee. It seems that Albee has been in the habit of collecting bills for the firm and appropriating the same to his own use. After being arrested, defendant confessed that he had appropriated $175 in this manner. On being taken to jail, Albee gave bonds for his appearance and was released. This morning the case will come up in the police court for examination.

THE INQUEST CASE. — The Chinamen who are interested in the matter, publish a card this morning in regard to the inquest held last week by the coroner of this county on the body of Chin Bok Shu. If the allegations of the card are untrue Mr Wetmore ought to be able to set the matter right. If they are true and $20 was demanded for showing the grave for an inquest was pretended to be held without a jury, the facts are worthy of public notice. The matter is one of which we have no knowledge except on information.

OREGON MEDICAL COLLEGE — Dr H Carpenter, Dean of the Faculty of the above named college announces to the medical profession and students who are interested in the progress of this college, that the faculty are making arrangements to secure a suitable building and the purchase of all modern appliances such as anatomical models charts manikins, chemical laboratory and every appointment required for a medical college. Lectures will begin on the first Wednesday in October next.

SOCIABLE. — An entertainment and sociable consisting of orations declamations, select reading, vocal and instrumental music and a supper will be held in the basement of the Taylor street M E Church on Wednesday evening February 16. All are invited. A good time guaranteed. Doors open at 7 30. Exercises commence at 8 o'clock sharp. The committee requests that all refreshments be brought to the church at 3 P M.

WEATHER REPORT. — From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation Portland, Oregon, February 14 1876

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wind, direction	W	W	SW
Wind, velocity	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Weather	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rainfall	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Maximum ther	[illegible]		

EXTENSIVE WHARF IMPROVEMENTS — We learn that it is Capt. Flanders' intention to commence early in the spring to tear away a portion of his old wharf to be replaced by a new wharf and warehouse. That portion which will be rebuilt at present extends from the center of C street 180 feet south and from the brick building to the outer edge of the old structure about 150 feet.

Over 200 men have left Cheyenne within the past four days for the Black Hills.

BRIEF NOTES.

St Valentine's Day has passed.

The ship City of Tanjore is being repaired at Astoria.

The recent masquerade ball netted the Turn Verein about $500.

The Turn Verein will give another entertainment soon at their hall.

Over one hundred sacks of mail reached the post office yesterday ex Oriflamme.

Mr Walter S Pierce has placed us under obligations for a late number of Sherman & Hyde's Musical Review.

The steamer Oriflamme reached here yesterday morning at 1 o'clock bringing a full freight and a large number of passengers.

One hundred and three sacks of mail matter arrived here on the steamer Oriflamme [illegible] sacks for this port and [illegible] for other offices.

Pity the poor post office clerks who were terribly annoyed with an extra dose of mail besides the [illegible] headed valentines [illegible] yesterday.

Twenty one recruits for the U S army came up on the last steamer from San Francisco. Yesterday afternoon they were taken over to Vancouver.

The barkentine Melancthon and schooner [illegible] both arrived here yesterday the former from San Francisco and the latter from Tillamook.

The postoffice clerks yesterday had a tedious time delivering valentines and answering questions of many who called for one but who least expected a missive.

We learn that Archbishop Blanchet is engaged preparing a history of the progress of the Catholic Church in the Northwest which is intended for the Centennial.

The postoffice clerks had their hands full yesterday. From early morn to dewy eve the delivery window was besieged by a bevy of lasses eagerly inquiring anything for me?

Stark street between Second and Fourth is in a fearful condition. Perhaps it would be best to postpone repairs until fair weather, which for the sake of teamsters and others using the aforesaid street will come along soon.

A CARD.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

As the item in your paper, of last Saturday, in regard to the Chinaman Chin Bok Shu whose body was found in Sandy on the 10th is calculated to make a false impression we ask that you set the matter right before the public. The coroner — Mr Wetmore — who we learn, was your informant, took charge of the dead man's money and said unless we would bury the body he would do so himself in two hours. We told him we could not take the body that day as we had no means to bring it away. We did not say we would not bury it but he said "Then you won't bury it, I'll bury it." We then asked Mr Buxton if he would go with the coroner to bury the body saying we would come back in two months and he could show us where the body was buried. He said he would do so. But after a conversation with the coroner, Mr Buxton told us "The coroner won't let me tell you where the body is buried." We asked why and Mr Buxton said "He wants it to cost money to find the place" and we left. As this so called inquest was held without a jury which we believe is contrary to American law, and as the coroner said he wanted $20 for showing us the grave, we think the people should know how the coroner of this county makes his money and judge whether his statements can be relied on.

TIN BOW
AH CHUNG

PORTLAND Oregon, Feb 14, 1876

SUPREME COURT DOCKET.

C. B Bellinger, Esq, the efficient and accommodating Clerk of the Supreme Court, sends us the following note which will require no explanation:

"Several attorneys have written to me from Portland to ascertain the order in which the causes from the fourth district stand on the calendar. I send you a list, you will please publish and oblige the bar and the undersigned?"

Trutch vs Bunnell, Multnomah county; Barrett vs Barrett, same; Ralfes vs Woodward & Russel, same; Johnson vs Arrigoni, Clatsop county; Wetmore vs Wetmore, Multnomah county; Hume vs Norris, same; Trainor & Norris vs Dolan, same; Strong vs Barnhart, same; Loomis vs Ramsey, same; Simpson vs Moir same; Dempsey vs Trainor same; Forrester vs Robbins same; Sohm vs Beck, same; Chapman vs Watkinds et al same.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Call on Mallory, whose card appears to day.

Allen & Lewis are in receipt of Island sugars per Fallenburg.

For Fish Game and Poultry call on Malarkey who advertises.

Meussdorffer is in receipt of information that the new style hats will arrive about the 28th inst.

Mr Edwin D Backinstos agent for the Union Insurance Company advertises the company. When you want to insure, call on him.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Joe Smith drunkenness fined $10.

City vs John Callahan drunk fined $5.

Stephen Wales drunk fined $10 defendant paid and was discharged.

Joe Marks assault and battery fined $20 and costs. Joe liquidated and went his way rejoicing.

Indian Charlie drunk and roaring about the streets fined $10 and in default, committed for five days.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

The complimentary party given last evening by the officers of the Emmet Guard was numerously attended and proved a very enjoyable occasion.

Thursday evening of the present week the Progress Club will give one of their fashionable and popular parties.

A calico ball will be given tomorrow evening by the City Rifles at their armory.

PERSONAL.

Wm Wadhams and P Wasserman Esqs, returned on the steamer from San Francisco the former from a short business trip to San Francisco the latter from New York.

MEETING — The members of the Amateur Musical Society are requested to meet promptly at the room this (Tuesday) evening at 7 o'clock.

Eastern Oysters fresh and one of the finest lots just received per steamer Oriflamme at Alisky & Hegele's 107 First street.

Ladies and their escorts monopolize the skating Wednesday evening at the Museum.

Youths can skate on Friday evening for 25 cents. Saturday evening 50 cents admission to the Museum.

The next thing to a husband is a Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine for joy and comfort in this life.

The steamer now due has on board a large assortment of goods for Fishel & Roberts and their customers who have been waiting will find the new importations really fine. Those wanting in the clothing line will inspect the goods at this house.

EXTENSIVE — [illegible] San Francisco [illegible] valuable remedy for the cure of [illegible]

Dr I I Wightman will leave Portland for Astoria on the 14th of February and remain there [illegible] will be in Olympia W T on 18th 19th and 20th of February. Persons desiring treatment will please notice. Satisfaction insured. Will receive calls on the 11th [illegible] Sunday 13th of February at his rooms Nos 10 and 11 St Charles hotel Portland. Those that have the Process please call and those who have not that suffer as above had better call and find relief and cure. Persons desiring treatment please notice and [illegible]

DR I I WIGHTMAN

THE COURTS.

U S CIRCUIT COURT — DEADY J

MONDAY Feb 14 1876

Catherine Burke vs Frederick Adams by consent hearing on demurrer to amended bill continued until next Monday.

J K Gill et al vs W F Wythe et al application for injunction continued to Saturday next.

Adjourned to Saturday next at 10 o'clock A M.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT — SHATTUCK J

The regular February term of the State Circuit Court convened yesterday forenoon at 10 o'clock. His Honor Judge Shattuck presiding. Officers of the court present: [illegible] Story county clerk and [illegible] Jeffery sheriff.

The court appointed the following bailiffs: John Dolan, Jerry [illegible], Louis Wilson, [illegible] in attendance for the term.

Philip Wasserman vs James [illegible] et al action for [illegible] demurrer overruled [illegible]

F Schonland vs John Irpelling suit to dissolve partnership [illegible] for judgment on the pleadings overruled.

Thomas Carter vs Alex Hamilton et al the several demurrers to complaint sustained leave granted plaintiff to amend within one week.

The following named persons were drawn as grand jurors: David Powell, W S Reyes, Peter Purvis, J H Gove, H W Monnastes, C S Silver, Henry Miller. David Powell appointed foreman.

Frederick Payne vs John Dixon and Henry Holdriver action to recover $10 000 damages for false imprisonment demurrer withdrawn by consent with leave to answer by Thursday.

D C McKercher vs Wells Fargo & Co action to recover promissory note demurrer overruled with leave to answer by Thursday.

Jos Kantsgsberger vs H D Herman et al judgment by default.

Bank of British Columbia vs J C Foy and A B Halleck action on promissory note judgment by default.

Martha I Beals vs D T Beals suit for decree of divorce default of defendant entered.

Samuel A Miles vs Spencer D Miles action on promissory note judgment by default.

Mary Harvey vs Jos Harvey suit for decree of divorce demurrer to complaint stricken from the files referred to J C Moreland to take testimony and report facts.

Henrietta Kelley vs I W Davis and I J Jeffery suit to recover personal property demurrer withdrawn by consent with leave to answer by Wednesday.

John F Lander et al vs Peter McQueen et al partition suit. R Imbrie made a party defendant by consent.

Rose Smith vs Edwin Smith suit for decree of divorce referred to J C Moreland to take testimony and report facts.

E M Keyes vs John Pizette et al suit to quiet title dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

A Meier vs E A & Wm Kern suit to set aside deed, demurrer withdrawn by consent with leave to answer by Saturday next.

State of Oregon vs F Deicks defendant bound over to keep the peace defendant discharged.

THE TERRITORIES

The snow is said to be very deep in Utah this winter and thousands of cattle are already dead of starvation.

Jon Mason, a Fort Collins miller has dispatched a train to the Black Hills with 1,600 sacks of Colorado flour.

The Utah Northern road is completely closed up. It is reported that they will not be able to run trains over the road before the 1st of April.

The Williams brothers from Iowa, are back at Lewiston again buying cayuses. They drove about 500 head from there last year and want as many more this year.

The Owyhee Avalanche says "The Maggie mine, in Wagontown district continues to develop splendidly, and is yielding ore that does one good to look at these hard times."

Since the Cheyenne papers got to telling such fearful yarns about gold hunting in the Black Hills the Omaha and Sioux City papers have quit lying and settled down to honest journalism.

A large wagon drawn by three yoke of cattle came into Olympia from the Chehalis valley loaded with about 1,600 pounds of nice, fresh butter on Saturday. The whole load was quickly disposed of to the merchants, at 37½ cents per pound.

A stage coach loaded with passengers, inside and out was stopped near Mesilla, New Mexico the other day by three masked footpads. One man commanded good behavior and silence, with a double barreled shotgun, the other two despoiled the express-box and the travelers of $5 500 in gold and silver, a lot of currency, and four gold watches.

John Tucker, a private in company C 21st infantry, shot himself at Fort Lapwai on Thursday, January 27th. He placed the muzzle of his musket against his left breast just above the heart and discharged it by pushing against the trigger with a poker. The ball entered his breast near the left nipple and ranging upward passed through his lung and came out between his shoulders. He lived until February 3d. Tucker was about 31 years old had served one term as a musician and was on his second term of enlistment. He assigned as a reason for the rash act that he was in debt and would as soon die as not.

REVERDY JOHNSON

Reverdy Johnson has returned from England and we again see in the supreme court room and in the Senate chamber "that good gray head which all men know" reminding one of the grand old heads of Cæsar on Roman coins. If he lives until the 21st day of May next he will be 80 years of age yet with the exception of his failing sight he is in full enjoyment of his faculties. It is a treat to hear him in the Supreme Court where his graciousness and dignity of bearing his careful utterance and commanding arguments recall Webster Preston Crittenden and other great lawyers who were his cotemporaries not only at the bar but in Congress. He is regarded as the best constitutional lawyer living and while familiar with the common law and with the statute law of Maryland he is a master spirit in nisi prius cases.

He was singularly blest in having as a wife a daughter of Governor Robert Bowie of Maryland to whom he was married in 1819 and who died in 1873. She shared the fortunes and graced the eminent career of her distinguished husband and at their golden wedding in 1869 there were present twelve of their living children forty five of their grandchildren and several of their great grandchildren. She accompanied her husband in his visits to Europe [illegible] as minister to England and resided there when he was Senator and attorney general.

Mr Johnson lost the sight of one of his eyes years ago when he was training Edward Stanley to fight Henry A Wise after a row the two had at a race course. Stanley was practicing and his bullet striking a tree glanced back and hit his instructor in the eye endangering his life although it prevented the duel. He has since had a cataract on the other eye and although it was once successfully removed he has partially returned. At one time many years ago a Baltimore mob took his furniture and library into the street before his house and made a bonfire of them. Now he is one of the most popular men in Maryland although his love [illegible] the Union prevented his [illegible] to the United States Senate. — Washington Cor. [illegible]

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THE COUNTY JAIL SYSTEM

In the course of a sermon on Philanthropy delivered in one of our city pulpits last Sunday evening some facts were brought forward in evidence of one of the gravest problems of the age for social science and philanthropy. The condition of county jails in various States by report of the authorities is bad in the highest degree. Want of [illegible] ventilation, gloom [illegible] are not the least evils prevailing everywhere with few exceptions. But it was with the system itself as a [illegible] that the speaker chiefly found fault. It is a [illegible] idleness and of congregate [illegible] between all classes, sexes, ages [illegible] Twenty one hundred of these institutions are engaged in cheating, vicing and [illegible] the laws. [illegible] the county jail which is [illegible] public opinion and allows [illegible] to range through a night and day detention of 6 months in its dim corridors and black sleeping dens where each man must breathe at night an allowance of air equal to the capacity of a good sized piano box. Let him become an enforced listener to the profanity and blasphemy of the place. Let him imagine disease, filthy communication and utter licentiousness [illegible] there and he must feel that there are some new applications of the Golden Rule yet to be made. He will be less than human if he can look on the picture and say Criminals have no rights which a white man ought to respect. The gravity of the problem consists in the difficulty first, of drawing public attention to the subject with due regard to the rights of the criminal classes and secondly, in the fact that under a narrow view of the case it is the best way to dispose of criminals for the time being. The latter argument notoriously works upon the average mind as a sufficient excuse for all short comings on the body politic. But it has been well said that it is never economical to do wrong. Nor is it hard to demonstrate that the reactive influences of such a system multiply the expense of government at compounding and usurious rates declaring dividends to crime and passion which threaten to outstrip the civil power and inaugurate lynch law with its well known 'economies' to the community where it may chance to spring up like a mushroom in a night. The cost of doing right should not enter into such a problem, but if it does let all the facts and possibilities be considered before the balance is struck. If increasing insecurity to life and property are not capable of estimate in figures it is because they name evils too vast for a census roll. If in giving power to every criminal to make two more we cannot attach dollars and cents to the phenomenon it is the blindest narrowness of civil wisdom not to see that an unguarded waste of the treasury is the worst waste of all. No! Economy is on the side of justice, here as everywhere and justice imperatively demands of society a change in the legislation which authorizes and the public sentiment which sustains crime making at the public expense.

The question is pertinent — what can we do in Portland towards bettering affairs in this direction? Plainly our first duty is to erect an above ground jail building with provision for some system of classification of the inmates. Competent authorities should be consulted as to the plan of such a building. It is not impossible that a judicious combination with the neighboring counties in union work would enable us to introduce some feature of industrial labor into its walls but if we only succeeded in obtaining a roomy well lighted and ventilated prison where classification could be measurably secured a reform would be inaugurated whose benefits would be far reaching in the welfare of this community and State.

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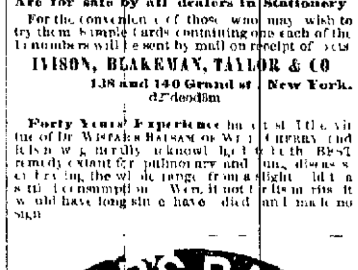
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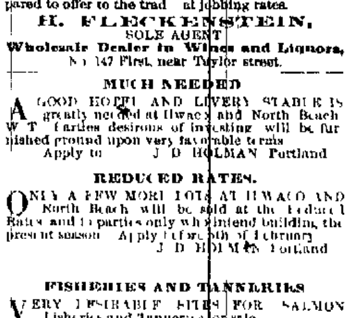
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To the Editor of the Oregonian

Considerable talk is going on in Washington county as to who are and who are not to be the next county and State officers not forgetting that we are to have a little of the national dished up this year. Among other points in the discussion is the question as to what name the various candidates shall be brought out under or with what number of names the various candidates will stand before the people as the standard bearers declaring that their's is the only pure and incorruptible party now extant. So far as this county is concerned there are but few issues and they of a local nature. The railroad question seems to be no more an issue, the old managers having sold out, according to the reports of the press, and there being a kind of adjustment of the difficulties growing out of the want of accommodations for shipping purposes along the line. As unsatisfactorily as this much vexed question in our county seems to have terminated, all are struck with the poverty stricken appearance of both stations and road beds, and none would be surprised if they were called on at any time now to assist at the funeral of twenty three miles of a defunct monopoly in our county. But as the matter now stands, the old managers having gone out, it remains to be seen whether the new managers will show more of a disposition to accomodate all our people alike for their money or not. So far as concerns Mr Holladay and his money bags, with which he expects to purchase himself (so it is said) political honors, he stands as any other private individual asking office, and though it is reported that he seeks to sleep with the Democracy, it is pretty generally understood that he will not sleep to any great extent with the Republicans of Washington county. But whether he votes, and co operates with the Democracy, or votes the Republican ticket, he only exercises the privilege that any other man might whom the people don't like any better than they do him.

Another question in regard to the manner of holding conventions, and the fears expressed by the people that wire-workers will control the nominations. There is no more liability of such being the case in the Republican party than in the Democratic, nor in those two than in the Independent or any other party if they have for their leaders discarded officials or wire-pullers. It is hard to find a party without them, and just as probable that there will be as much corruption practiced in one as in the other. The lessons taught these persons by the people during the last elections, and the uncertainty that now hangs over the success of either ticket, gives the people a splendid opportunity to enter into their primaries and county and State and national conventions, and select, from their party the men who, in the judgment of the majority, are best qualified to represent their best interests and wishes. If the legal voters of this county wish to place a ticket in the field that is a choice of a majority of their party, all that is necessary for them to do is to see to it that men are chosen in the primaries that will represent their wishes honestly in the county convention. Party tickets are just what the legal voters make them, and if the masses stay away from the conventions they ought not to grumble because the tickets don't suit them. It is sometimes the case that the prominent men, who talk the most about fraud in the conventions, are the ones that are the deepest in the mire.

A PRETTY LITTLE CHRISTMAS STORY ALL THE WAY FROM PARIS.

On Christmas eve a poorly clad little boy, about twelve years of age, passed and repassed before a shoe shop, just as the merchant was putting up the shutters. Tears were in his longing eyes, and his lip trembled. Surprised and interested, the shopkeeper called the boy to him, and asked him in a kindly tone

"What makes you look so sadly at my shoes? Would you like to buy a pair?"

"Alas!" replied the child, "I cannot buy the shoes; we are very poor. At home there are only grand-mamma, who is too old to work, and little sister, who is ill. Little sister has not been out for two months, because she has no shoes; you see *le petit Jesus* cannot bring her anything to-night, for the same reason. Oh, sir, could you not *lend* me a pair to put in the chimney? I promise to return them to-morrow."

Affected by this touching childishness, the shopkeeper did as he was asked, and the little boy joyously went his way. On the following day he returned with a sad face and the little shoes.

"Merci, Monsieur," he said, handing them back, "you are very, very kind, but *le petit Jesus* has forgotten us. He did not pass our way, and there was nothing in the shoes."

"Nonsense!" exclaimed the good hearted shop keeper (who had already narrated the incident to a lady, who had repeated it to my charitable friend, and from whom he had just received a note, still in his hand, which he crumpled into the shoe) "you haven't hunted well, my boy, let us see what this paper promises," and drawing it forth triumphantly, he read:

"Your little *protege* interests me exceedingly; if he returns send him to me, and I will do for him and his sister all that is necessary

COUNTESS D——"

GENERAL NOTES

The new constitution of Texas provides that nine members of a jury may return a verdict.

A strenuous effort will be made in the Kentucky Legislature this winter to abolish all lotteries in the State.

The grangers of Kentucky are reported to have been so exclusive in electing farmers to the legislature, that the speaker is unable to find lawyers enough in that body from which to appoint the committee on the judiciary.

The report of the Freedmen's Bank Commissioners shows that the balances still due on loans amount to $1,000 872, exclusive of accrued interest or unpaid loans and certain expenses connected with said loans.

Why should the rich despise the poor?
Why should the poor repine?
A little while and we shall all
In equal friendship join

Life at the best is but a jest
And has its wintry day
But since we're here with friends so dear
We'll drive dull care away

A statistical maniac says "The wine crop of France this year would fill a ditch three and a half feet wide three and a half feet deep and 1 000 miles long. That is the last ditch" we should like to die in —*Buffalo Express*

A Schenectady man couldn't take a job at sawing wood because he hadn't a saw. When some one gave him a saw he couldn't raise money to have it filed. When he got over that difficulty he found he had no saw buck and sat down and wept and is ame discouraged —*Detroit Free Press*

As a husband says a man "I'm ever willing to do my share about the house. My wife for instance puts up all the preserves in summer—it is pleasant then but when cold weather comes I don't want her to do anything, about them—I put them all down alone."

"Yes I know she wears a seal skin suit and a set back hat" said one woman of another in the streets the other day "and she wears a silk dress and jewelry and feather trimming and fox tail shoes but what is her husband? What is he I say but a whisky thief and an alderman with a blurred eye and a crooked nose" —*Chicago Journal*

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple corner of First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

MONDAY EVENING Feb 14 1876

Gold in New York 113 @113¼

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 85 selling 88

Coin Exchange on San Francisco at par.

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent premium

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent premium

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium

Currency Exchange on New York ½ per cent premium

Gold Bars 750 par

The week opens with a very quiet phase on monetary affairs in local circles. The coin supply continues quite liberal and though ready assistance is obtainable by all borrowers who offer first class security the conservatism of the banks renders it a class for all others to apply. The movement of the wheat surplus is now making very little demand comparatively on the cash resources of the market there being a very scarcity of tonnage and exporters were sit ame not urging them at all.

There is still some feeling in the market in regard to the expedient course of dealers here in receiving silver coin but there seems yet to be no plan settled on by any considerable number. We are informed by a gentleman just from San Francisco that retail traders there have different prices for their goods, so much if paid in gold so much more if paid in silver. Here some have concluded that they will accept silver at 1 @1½ per cent discount, but the plan does not meet with favor owing to the difficulty of making change and if the silver circulation can not be confined to our State some other plan must be adopted to meet the exigencies of the case.

Latest mail advices from the Eastern States denote an improvement in financial and trade matters, but there are still some fears that Congress may do something that will disturb the channels of business and commerce which now seem to be flowing more smoothly toward prosperity. The Washington correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune* intimates that the ways and means committee are preparing a great surprise for the country, and that within a week or two there will be sprung upon the House a tariff bill exceedingly radical in its changes. The free list is to be increased, the tax on tea and coffee restored the customs revenue to be collected from articles on which a specific duty can be imposed, and the complicated workings of the tariff system abolished.

The Wheat Market

Though during the past week advices from abroad indicate a somewhat favorable turn in the wheat markets abroad ours shows but little appreciation. Buyers and exporters generally have quite large supplies on hand or in sight, and will not be apt to urge matters much until there are more ships here to load. The receipts by boat have been fully up the average in volume and with the quantity before in hand, enough has been received in the last week to load the two vessels in the river and the three others now about due from San Francisco.

The telegraph reports the sailing of the Donne Castle, from San Francisco, to load wheat here. Our San Francisco exchanges mention that the British ship Dunnottar Castle, 1,700 tons will come here to load. The two may mean the same vessel.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Oriflamme arrived from San Francisco at 2 o'clock last night.

The steamer Gussie Telfair cleared for Puget Sound ports on Saturday, and sailed on Sunday morning.

The barkentine Jane A Falkinburg is discharging at Allen & Lewis' wharf.

The British ship Hannibal, under charter to the Salem Flouring Mills Co, is discharging ballast at the Gas Co's dock.

The brig Sea Waif has gone down the river and will be ready to sail in a few days for San Francisco.

The sloop built at Tillamook for Capt Terwilliger has sailed for this port.

The ship John Rennie, under charter to load wheat, is in the river.

The ships Oriflamme and Donne Castle are en route from San Francisco to load wheat for Liverpool.

The ship Zephyrus is under charter to load wheat here for Europe. She will sail from San Francisco for Portland in a few days.

The steamship California sailed from Victoria for Sitka on the 10th.

The barkentine Melancthon, from San Francisco arrived in port this morning with a full cargo of assorted merchandise.

The British ship Ann Millicent, 944 tons, now at San Francisco, has been chartered to load wheat at this port for Liverpool at £3 £s.

The steamship Oriflamme will sail for San Francisco at 4 P M. to-morrow.

EXPORTS.

Per brig Sea Waif for San Francisco dispatched February 12th by Capt George H Flanders 2 850 sks flour 12 806 bushels wheat. Value of cargo $16 800.

Per Gussie Telfair for Puget Sound ports dispatched February 12th by the O S S Co 5 022 sks flour, 122 sks bran 129 sks shorts 152 sks chop, 85 sks middlings 355 sks oats 46 bxs apples 725 bushels wheat 17 bales meal, 20 pkgs oil cake 28 gunnies bacon and hams. The remainder of her cargo comprising 250 tons, was made up of groceries dry goods etc.

IMPORTS.

The following is the manifest of the bark Jane A Falkinburg which arrived at this port last Friday from Honolulu 1,077 kegs sugar 300 bags rice 70 bales pulu, Allen & Lewis 277 kegs sugar Corbitt & Macleay

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—For fair average lots, $1 60@1 62½ per cental sacked

FLOUR—Quotable, best brands $5 00 ℔ bbl, good outside and country brands, $4 75 fine and superfine, $4 00@4 25

OATS—Choice white, 70c per bushel common 65c black, 62½c

BARLEY—Choice brewing $1 35@1 40 feed, $1 25 @1 30 ℔ cwt.

MILL FEED—Bran, $22 ℔ ton shorts $30 chopped, middlings, etc. $47 50@40 oil cake meal $40

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid 10@30c ℔ ℔ brine, 20@28c, roll 20@50c, fancy dairy 40@45c cheese quotable at 17@18 ℔ ℔

EGGS—Quotable at 25c ℔ dozen

CHICKENS—Full grown $3 50@4 00 ℔ doz

HIDES AND FURS—We quote best selected hides at 18c ℔ ℔ culls ⅓ off green 5@6 blk 10@15c ℔ ℔ deer 18@30c ℔ ℔ for dried and 50@75c each green mink skins, $1 50 each, otter $1@5 each beaver, $1@$1 25

POTATOES—Common, 50c choice 60c ℔ bushel

ONIONS—As to quality $1 25@1 70 ℔ 100lbs

HAY—Choice timothy baled $16@$18 loose $14 wild $10

DRIED APPLES—In sacks 6c in kegs 6½c @7 ℔ ℔

RIPE FRUITS—Apples 50@60c ℔ box, pears 50@75c

BACON—Hams choice 16@17c common to good 14@15c ℔ ℔ sides 11@12c shoulders 8c

FRESH MEATS—Beef dressed 7@8c ℔ ℔ on foot, 3½@4c dressed hogs 6@6½c ℔ ℔ mutton sheep $2 50@3 ℔ head

LARD—Oregon made fresh in tins 13 @14c ℔ ℔ in kegs 18c

DRIED PLUMS—With pits 6c pitless, 14@16c ℔ ℔

REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Republican State Central Committee of the State of Oregon will be held in the City of Portland on Wednesday the 16th day of February 1876 at 1 o'clock P M. A full attendance is requested. E S SCOTT Chairman

J F WATSON Secretary

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA DISTRICT of Oregon, ss —Whereas an order was made on the 8th day of February 1876 by the Hon Matthew P Deady Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon in a cause therein pending wherein James Leech is libellant against the steamboat *Clatsop Chief* that the said steamboat her machinery boats tackle apparel and furniture should be sold at public auction by the Marshal upon fifteen days notice of such sale and that the proceeds of such sale be returned to the Clerk of said Court. Therefore I hereby give notice that in pursuance of such order I will on Saturday the 19th day of March A D 1876 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at the Pacific wharf foot of Salmon street in the city of Portland county of Multnomah [illegible] said district aforesaid proceed to sell the said steamboat *Clatsop Chief* her machinery boats tackle apparel and furniture at public auction to the highest bidder therefor for cash in hand in U S gold coin.

DANIEL J MALARKEY

U S Marshal District of Oregon

Portland Oregon Feb 1 1876 [illegible]

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE [illegible] day of February A D 1876 a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of James B [illegible] of Portland in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition [illegible] [illegible] Bankruptcy [illegible] of February A D 1876 at [illegible] o'clock A M.

DANIEL J MALARKEY

U S Marshal [illegible]

W [illegible] A Licensed Pawnbroker [illegible] Watches Cases Jewelry [illegible] and sold

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MEETING of the Stockholders of the Oregon Quartz Mill and Mining Company will be held on Saturday February 26 1876 at 11 o'clock A M at the office of the secretary in Portland Oregon.

By order of the Directors

H H NORTHRUP

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Ordinance No. 1733.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS out of the General Fund for the payment of salaries

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the General Fund for the payment of salaries of the officers hereinafter named at the times and in the manner prescribed by Ordinance No 1414

Police Judge eighteen hundred dollars

City Attorney twelve hundred dollars

Auditor and Clerk twenty four hundred dollars

Superintendent of Streets fifteen hundred dollars

City Surveyor eighteen hundred dollars

Passed the Common Council February 2 1876

W S CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk

Approved February 4, 1876

J A CHAPMAN Mayor

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Ordinance No. 1734.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING CERTAIN APPROPRIATIONS out of the Fire Department Fund

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the Fire Department Fund for the several objects hereinafter named to be expended under the provisions of Ordinance No 1414 or in such other manner as the Common Council may by Ordinance direct

For salary of chief engineer eight hundred dollars

For salary of fire warden four hundred dollars

For salary of the secretary of the Fire Department, two hundred dollars

For care of fire alarm telegraph as provided by Ordinance No 1672 three hundred dollars

For repairs to hydrants three hundred dollars

For repairs to cisterns and cistern tops five hundred dollars

For the construction of cisterns and connecting cisterns with water mains fifteen hundred dollars

For repairs to fire apparatus furnishing supplies and the incidental expenses of the Fire Department fifteen hundred dollars

For repairs to engine houses and other buildings used for fire department purposes eight hundred dollars

For the purchase of hose and couplings fifteen hundred dollars

For repairs supplies and incidental expenses connected with the fire alarm telegraph six hundred dollars

Section 2 The unexpended balances of all appropriations made out of the Fire Department Fund by Ordinances dated prior to January 1 1876 (except of the appropriations for construction of cisterns made by Ordinance No 1606) are hereby cancelled and returned to said Fund

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Ordinance No. 1742.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS out of the Street Lamp Fund

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the Street Lamp Fund

For lighting the street gas lamps three thousand dollars

For lighting the oil lamps fifteen hundred dollars

For new lamps and repairs five hundred dollars

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LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	7 30 A M	Roseburg	7 10 P
Roseburg	5 00 A M	Portland	4 15 P,

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DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) As follows

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
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Albany	5 30 A M	Portland	10 05 A M,

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DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

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Junction	5 45 A M	Portland	5 15 P, M

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Tacoma	6 30 A M	Kalama	12:40 P M

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Block	Lot	Owner	Assessm't.
S½K	5 6 7 8	M O Lownsdale	$ 16 20
N½L	5 6 7 8	"	33 40
S½L	6 7 8 N 12 ft 5	"	51 09
	frac B 38 ft 5	Mitchell & Wood	5 65
M	8	R Brotherton bal	50 35
	W 34 ft 7 & N 10 ft 6,	B Goldsmith	49 46
	W 34 ft 5 & 8 40 ft 6	J Kamm	66 77
Tract 214 ft front on Twelfth and about 37½ ft deep S of Main street J Kamm			196 55
Tract 46 ft front on Twelfth street, and about 40 feet deep S of last named tract W S Chapman			25 19
Tract 100 ft front on Twelfth street about 41 ft deep S of last named tract H Bal ton			129 40
E 62½ ft of N 141 ft W½ block N Thos Mann			8 00
Tract S of last named tract, about 60 ft E&W, and 80 feet N & S W K Smith			4 00
S½ O	W 41 ft 5, 6, 7, 8,	R Riley	151 12
	E 57 ft 8	R R Thompson	6 65
	E 57 5 6, 7	B Killin bal	2 70
B2	3, 8½ 2	G H Durham	6 53
Tract 210 feet front on Twelfth street, and S of N line Chapman Claim J H D Gray			154 70
Tract 90½ ft front on Twelfth street between Gray tract and N line Main st J Kamm			102 20
Tract 212 ft front on Twelfth street and S of S line of Main street J Kamm			280 70
Tract 100 feet front on Twelfth street, and N of N line of Jefferson st M F Chapman			42 20
Tract 148 ft front on Twelfth street and N of last named tract, H H Northup			145 90
			$1481 67

By order of the Common Council

W S CALDWELL Auditor and Clerk

January 29 1876 j29d10t

U. S. MARSHAL'S CITATION.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—DISTRICT of Oregon ss Whereas a libel hath been filed in the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon on the 1th day of January A D 1876 by James H Leech against the steamboat *Clatsop Chief* her tackle apparel and furniture and praying that the usual process and monition of the court that all persons interested in said vessel her tackle apparel and furniture may be cited to answer the premises and all due proceedings being had that the same may be decreed to be sold and the proceeds thereof to be distributed according to law therefore in pursuance of the said monition under the seal of the said court to me directed and delivered I do hereby give notice generally unto all persons having or pretending to have any right title or interest therein to appear before the aforesaid Court at the city of Portland Oregon on the seventh day of February A D 1876 if it be a court day or else on the next court day thereafter at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day then and there to answer said libel and to make their allegations in that behalf. Dated at Portland in said District the 4th day of January A D 1876

DANIEL J MALARKEY

j30d1t U S Marshal District of Oregon

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WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER

d28lawGt Attorneys for Plaintiffs

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Oregon In the matter of [illegible] McIlwain bankrupt Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said court by said McIlwain duly declared bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2 1867 [illegible] for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act and that the [illegible] day of February 1876 [illegible] is fixed for the hearing of the same before R H Wilcox Esq Register in Bankruptcy at his office in Portland in said district when and where any creditors may attend and show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

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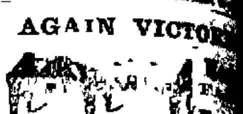
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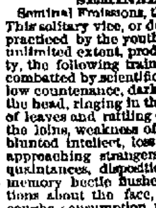
Whooping Cough, Cr[oup] [illegible] ness are efficacio[usly] [illegible] Jayne's Expecto[rant] difficulty of breathi[ng] sion in the throat or [illegible] the ejection of muc[us] the violence of the [illegible] the outset. It is a Sa[fe] [illegible], of long-establish[ed] and where promptly [illegible] has enabled many to e[illegible] Lung Affections.

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EASTERN NEWS

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

Dockery's Escape

[illegible] Frederick A [illegible] case was the cause [illegible] on [illegible] for the [illegible] the treaty [illegible] the following story of his escape [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] had been taken on the following [illegible] tried to board a British steamer [illegible] but was informed that no [illegible] in an open boat. They [illegible] and one that said that must be an [illegible] The next night he got on [illegible] steamer but on arriving at [illegible] the captain becoming [illegible] landing him. The captain [illegible] on board and persuaded by [illegible] bottle of brandy consented to [illegible] board. The *Felucca* sailed for [illegible] encountered a severe gale which [illegible] days and was blown over to the Afr[ican] [illegible] put in at Tangiers in sight [illegible] the nearest approach he was [illegible] to his prison house. Thence [illegible] where he put himself under the [illegible] of the British flag. From Gibraltar [illegible] and thence to this city

Receiver of Stolen Bonds Arr[ested]

[Boston,] Feb 14—Gifford White a lawyer has been arrested and placed un[der] [illegible] the detectives having traced to [illegible] $30 000 of bonds stolen from a gen[tleman] [illegible] York about a year since. White [illegible] for 10 cents on the dollar and had [illegible] as collateral for a loan of $3 000. He [illegible] had no knowledge of their true cha[racter]

Money and Stocks.

New York Feb 15—Gold closed at [illegible] Governments dull and strong money [illegible] bonds quiet and nominal stocks [illegible] [illegible] Western Union 70¾ Quick[silver] [illegible] Pacific Mail, [illegible] Mariposa [illegible] New York Central 116¾ Erie [illegible] 180¾ U P [illegible] do bonds 103 [illegible] bonds, 103¾

Senator Gordon Addresses a Crowd [at At]lanta.

Atlanta (Ga), Feb 15—Senator Gordon [addressed] the House of Representatives and [illegible] at the Capitol to night. He ar[illegible] Republican party as incompetent corru[pt] [illegible] in legislation towards the South [illegible] tyranny. He referred to Toombs [illegible] that Morton read [illegible] the Senate [illegible] the apprehensions caused by [illegible] [illegible] This year the South [illegible] Christian fight against the world [illegible] [illegible] from Indiana. The National [illegible] sound principles and the South [illegible] man who can go into the Convention [illegible] ask for a platform and candidate [illegible] sound government

Telegraph Rates Reduced

New York Feb 15—It is stated that [illegible] Pacific Telegraph Company will [illegible] rates to all points 20 to 25 per cent

Murderer Sentenced.

Plainfield, N J Feb 15—Patrick [illegible] [convic]ted of the murder of Peter Mirts [illegible] in May last was sentenced to be [hanged] [illegible] March.

Pleaded Guilty of Murder

John Ritter who murdered his two [illegible] Sockettstown in October last pleaded [guilty] [of mu]rder in the second degree and was [illegible] State prison at hard labor for [illegible] of the two indictments

Colorado Constitutional Conv[ention]

Denver, Feb 15—The constitutional [illegible] two days of earnest discussion [illegible] upon the elective franchise which [illegible] State Legislature to provide by [illegible] the submission of the woman's [illegible] to a vote of the people. This is [illegible] favorably by the advocates of the mea[sure] [illegible] a powerful constituency in Colo[rado] [illegible] experiment in Wyoming on th[illegible] [illegible] the privilege in Kansas woman [illegible] to all school offices

Death of a Bride

New York Feb 15—Commodore [illegible] [youn]gest daughter who died yesterday [illegible] married only ten weeks ago. The [illegible] place here to morrow

Rumors Relative to the Panama [Railroad] Denied.

The rumors that the Columbian [illegible] intends to cancel the Panama railro[ad] [illegible] credited here as desperate effo[rts] [illegible] The Governments of Engla[nd] [illegible] States are both engaged to prot[ect] [illegible] interruption

Arrest of Winslow, the Fo[rger]

London, Feb 15—Winslow arrested [illegible] formally arraigned at the Bow s[treet] [illegible] remanded for one week

[illegible] Feb 15—Winslow the [illegible] is not in Holland. The securities [illegible] if the woman consents

[illegible] Feb 16—The *Herald's* special [illegible] says Winslow when arrested asked [illegible] America immediately. He said al[l] [illegible] possession was his wife's amount [illegible] nothing was recovered. He asked th[at] [illegible] be let alone. He said he left ev[erything] [illegible] in the hands of his attorneys a[nd] [illegible] much affected. He said he inten[ded] [illegible] Portugal or Brazil. He denies having [illegible] [illegib]le and says nearly all the newspap[er] [illegible] erroneous

Heavy Storm in Illinois

Cincinnati Feb 14—A *Commercial* [illegible] special of the 14th says Sunday s[illegible] [illegible] several houses and barns near [illegible] capsized a skiff in the river drowni[ng] [illegible] occupants. The only survivor was resc[ued] [illegible] in a skiff four miles below

WASHINGTON CITY.

Death of Mr. T. J. D. Ful[ler]

Washington Feb 15—T J D Fuller [died to]day in Virginia. He was four times [in Con]gress and in 1857 was appointed sec[retary of] the treasury by President Buchanan

[Gen]. Ord Before the Military C[ommittee]

Chicago Feb 15—A *Times* Washing[ton special says] General Ord was before the milit[ary committee] in regard to the transfer of Indian [affairs to the Wa]r Department and he was inclined t[o think the] project was not advisable. Generals [illegible] before the committee to day hav[illegible] [illegible] to come to Washington and ha[illegible] [illegible] war with colonels and generals of [illegible] [illegible] Sherman and Hancock a[illegible] [illegible] and quite a reunion will be held [illegible]

Confirmations

Washington, Feb 14—The Senate [has confir]med the nomination of Augustus [illegible] Marshal for Nevada and of Gideon [illegible] [Nat]haniel Pope appointed storekeep[er] [illegible] district of California

Duty on Coal

New York Feb 14 The collector [illegible] San Francisco calls the attention of [illegible] the Treasury to the subject of the d[illegible] view of the bill before the comm[ittee] [illegible] means amending tariffs. He says [illegible] Francisco during the last current year [illegible] coal were imported. The duty at [illegible] amounts to $191 000 and to c[illegible] [illegible] for salaries of inspectors ar[illegible] [illegible] $400 or about [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Consultations at the White H[ouse]

Washington Feb 14 [illegible] and Secretary Bristow had a lon[g] [illegible] [illegible]

Appropriation Asked Fo[r] [illegible]

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